SURVEYOR

1948

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Alexandria, Va. - 1948
(8th grade)

The Student Body

OF

Mt. Vernon High School

PRESENTS

The 1948 Surveyor

ROLAND BROWN.....*Editor-in-Chief*
JOETTA DAWSON.....*Business Manager*

Dedication . . .

The great esteem that we hold for him inspires us to dedicate this, the 1948 SURVEYOR, to our principal, Melvin Bowman Landes.

We shall not attempt to enumerate those traits that we admire. Let it suffice to say that we know that he considers each of us as an individual, and that he does only that which he sincerely believes will be of our good.

In Honor

HARRY A. LEE

We know that the new stadium of which we are justly proud, would not have materialized except for his unceasing efforts. Therefore, we gratefully pay tribute to our coach and our friend.

In Memoriam

VERA ADAMS COOK

Those of us, both faculty and students, who had the privilege of knowing and working with her for the short time she was with us during our past school year will remember for a long time her strong personality and memorable Christian character.

As a teacher she was keenly interested in the development of her pupils and gave to them a worthy example of highest ideals in living. Her professional interests were broad and she showed in her daily contact with students a keen understanding of human nature as well as a wise knowledge of subjects.

The inspiration she gave us to ennoble of our lives is truly one of the great memories of the past school year.

Mount Vernon High School

U. S. ROUTE I

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

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Mount Vernon High School

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Administrative Offices

Mr. Landes' Office
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Assistant Principal

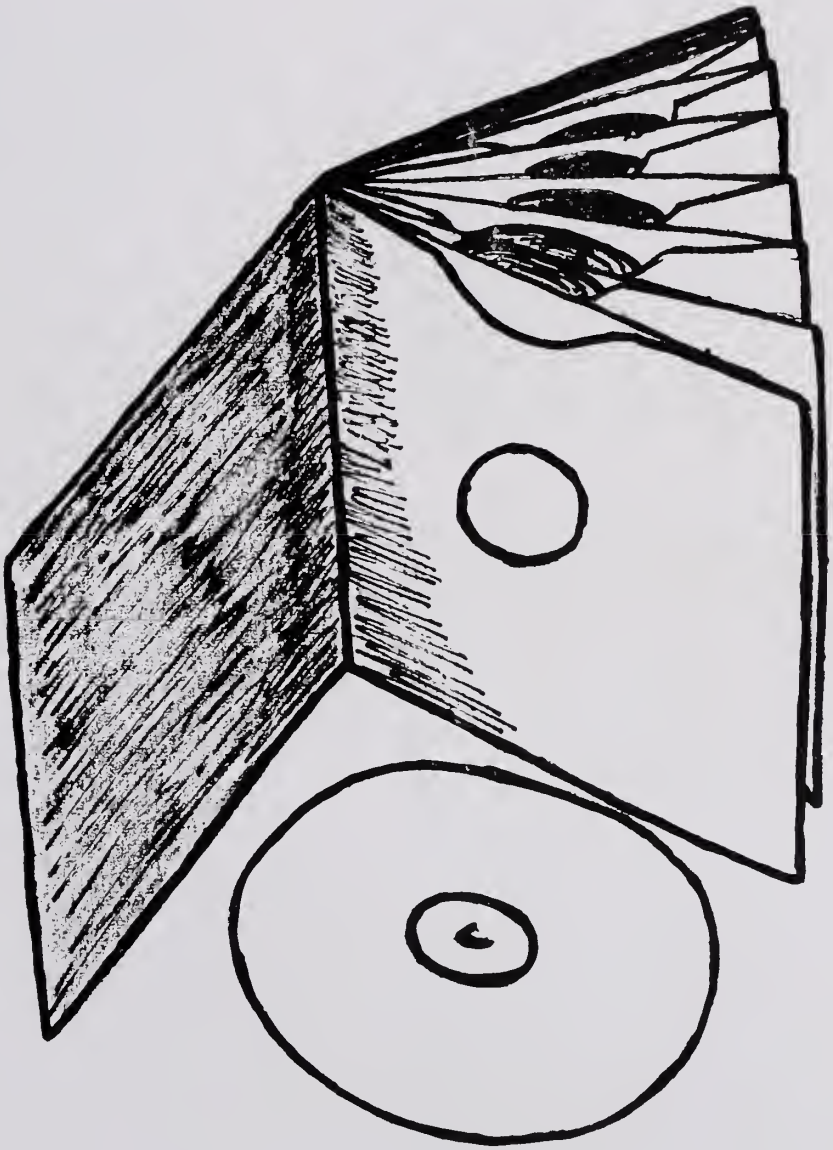
Miss Bevis's Office
Secretary

Miss DeVault's Office
Guidance Director

Mrs. Quinley's Office
Eighth Grade Coordinator

Mrs. Hatch's Office
Visiting Teacher

"Administration"



Administrators

WILBERT T. WOODSON
B.A., M.A., College of William and Mary
University of Virginia
George Washington University
Superintendent, Fairfax County Schools

MELVIN B. LANDES
A.B., Madison College
Elizabethtown, McPherson
Key Club Sponsor
Principal

Administrators

RALPH E. BUCKLEY
B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute
George Washington University
Assistant Principal
Algebra

MARY MABEL DeVAULT
A.B., Emory and Henry College
University of Virginia
Guidance Director
Latin

Faculty

Elizabeth Morris Ames
A.B., Randolph-Macon Women's College
Senior Class Sponsor
English

June Carolyn Ashton
B.A., Mary Washington
World History
Social Studies

Emma Carolyn Bevis
Graduate Mount Vernon High School
Secretary to Principal

Catherine Elizabeth Bittle
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Glee Club Sponsor
Music

Mary Mabel DeVault
A.B., Emory and Henry College
University of Virginia
Guidance Director
Latin

Kathleen Norris Depue
B.A., Wellesley College
General Science

Rebecca Katherine Engleman
B.A., Mary Washington College
College of William and Mary
Em Vee Hi Sponsor
Quill and Scroll Sponsor
English, Spanish amd Journalism

Vestal Neher Gardner
A.B., R.N., Phillips University
Washington University
Mathematics, Social Stu dies
Geography

Alice E. Hatch
A.B., Brigham Young University
University of Utah
Visiting Teacher

Lorraine M. Helton
A.B., Marshall College
Duke University
English, Social Studies
Orientation

James Wilson Johnston
B.S., Eastern Illinois State Teachers College, Penn State
Woodwork

Hugh Howard Jones
B.S., M.A., College of William and Mary
George Washington University
Chemistry, Physics, General Science

Faculty

John J. Kenny
B.A., Columbia University
Mathematics

Harry Alexander Lee
B.A., Furman University
Athletic Director
Football and Baseball Coach
Physical Education

Lucy Jane Lowman
B.S., Radford College
Head of Commercial Dept.
Yearbook and Honor Society Sponsor
Typing, Shorthand and Business English

Roy Lee Miller
B. A., Shenandoah Bridgewater
George Washington University
Freshman Class Sponsor
Social Science, Mathematics

John Henry Moore
B.S., Oklahoma State Teachers College
Mathematics

Lenore L. Pingley
A.B., M.A., Berea College
University of Kentucky
Junior Class Sponsor
Algebra, Geometry and Trigonometry

Florence R. Provance
B.S., M.E., Duquesne University
University of Pittsburgh
Bookkeeping, Retailing, Typing
General Business

Hilcagard Adalema Powell
B.A., Jamestown College
University of Colorado
English, Social Studies
Orientation

Janice Louise Prince
A.B., Bates College
Pep Club Sponsor
Assistant Girls' Coach
Physical Education

Hattie G. Quinley
B.S., Radford, Virginia Intermont
Eighth Grade Coordinator
Orientation

Frances Alice Richmond
A.B., in Education
A.B., in Library Science
Flora MacDonald College
College of William and Mary
Librarian
Library Science

Purcell Monk Robertson
B.S., George Washington University
Radford College
Head of Home Economics Dept.
Home Economics Club Sponsor
Home Economics

Faculty

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B.S., Bridgewater
Madison
Mathematics

John Allen Rothrock, Jr.
B.S., Northwestern
Purdue
Basketball and Track Coach
Assistant Football Coach
Physical Education

Emma Rebecca Saunders
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Woman's College
U. S. History, Civics

Mary Elizabeth Schurb
B.A., College of St. Teresa
Catholic University
Debate Coach
English

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B.A., Bowling Green
College of Commerce
Ball State Teacher's College
Typing, General Business
Bookkeeping

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English, Social Studies
Orientation

Doris Louise Stuart
B.A., Duke University
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English, Art

Polly Edward Waid
B.S., Radford College
Girls' Physical Education
Director
Girls' Basketball and
Softball Coach
Cheerleaders' Sponsor
Physical Education

Lena Parke Whitt
B.A., Campbell College
Madison
Head of Social Science
Department
Americana Quiz Sponsor
U.S. History, Civics

Mary Ruth Williams
B.S., Radford College
Student Government Sponsor
Bookkeeping, Salesmanship
Office Training, Business
Law, Shorthand, Typing

Josephine Elizabeth Wood
B.S., Averett College
College of William and Mary
George Washington University
Sophomore Class Sponsor
Girl Scout Sponsor
Science, Biology

Reba Mary Woodbridge
B.S., Averett, Farmville
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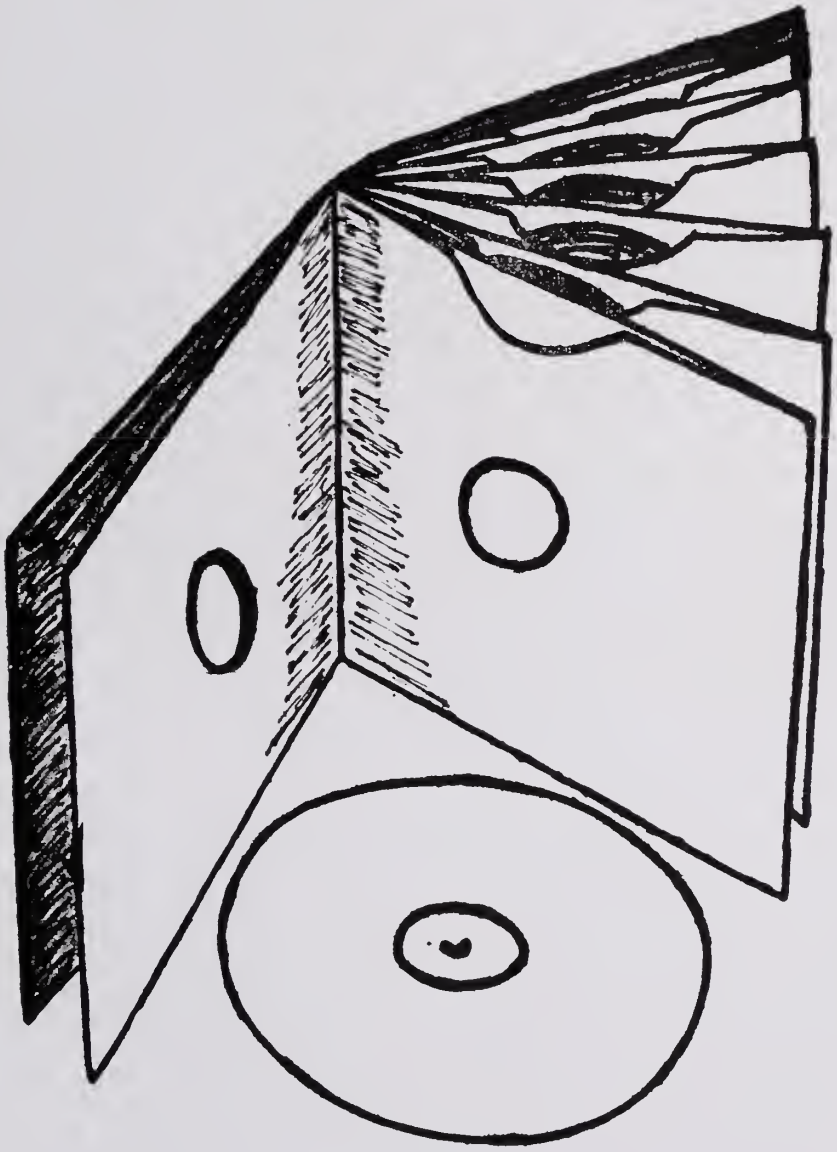
Assistant Sponsor Home
Economics Club
Home Economics

"Seniors"



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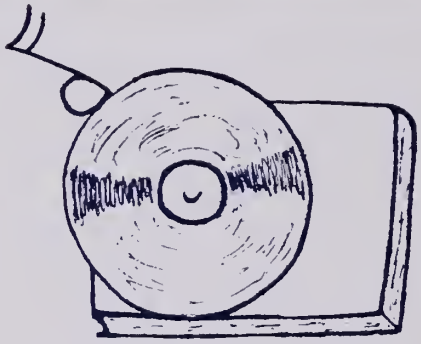

Newman Shifflett . . . . . *President*
Kathryn Weaver . . . . . *Vice President*
Edwina Moss . . . . . *Secretary*
Anne McDonald . . . . . *Treasurer*
Shirley Hastings . . . . . *Reporter*
Mrs. Ames . . . . . *Sponsor*
Paul Saulnier . . . . . *Judicial Judge*

Motto: "*Not merely to exist, but to amount to something in life*"

Flower: *Gardenia* Colors: *Blue and Silver*

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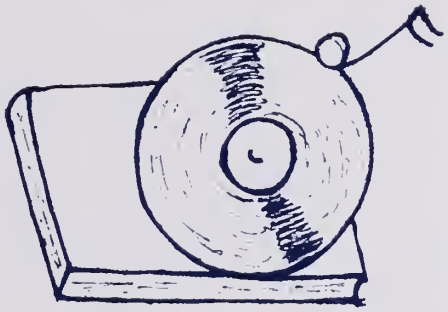
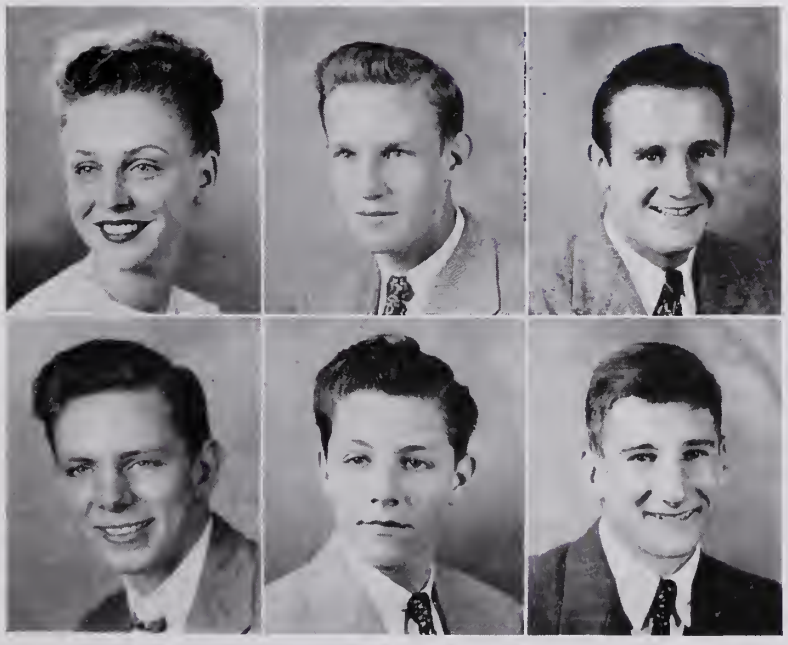
Roger Hugh Anderson

Doris Lee Bell

Ila Jane Bennett

Joseph Franklin Bollinger





Virginia Lee Bomkamp

Elmer Welcome Booth, Jr.

Benjamine Isaach Bowers

Roland Harry Brown

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John Beverly Welford Cathey

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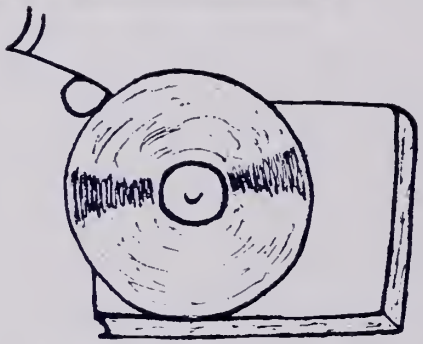

Catherine Katrina Crawford

George Washington Creed

Catherine Isabelle Crim

Robert Clinton Crump

Helen Mae Davis

Joetta Virginia Dawson

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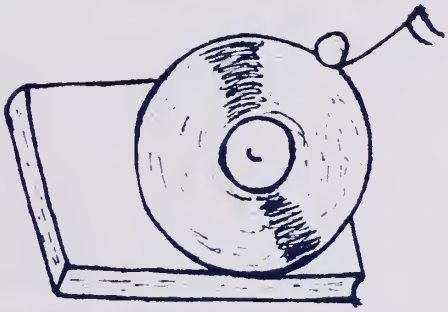

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Robert Clay Flinchum

Patrick James Frickleton

Jeanne Elizabeth Frinks, P. G.

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Marvin Anthony Gordon

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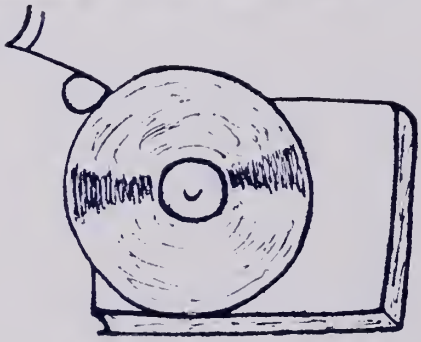

Violet Mae Harris

Doris Louise Hartman

Harold Frederick Hartman

Shirley Elise Hastings

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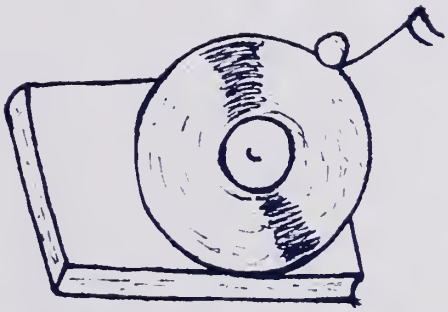

Carolina Gale Lambright

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Alice Patricia Levay

Bonnie Lou Lloyd

Robert Hallie Lyles

Thomas Neal McAuliffe

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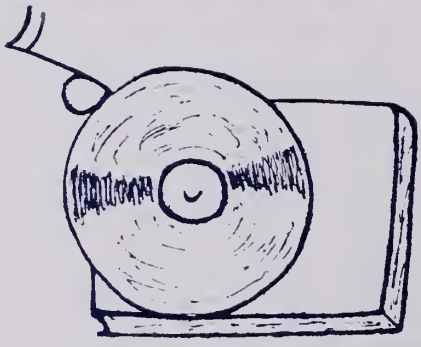

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Geraldine Marie Morgan

Marjorie Kathryn Moshier

Mary Edwina Moss

Sara Catherine Neitzey

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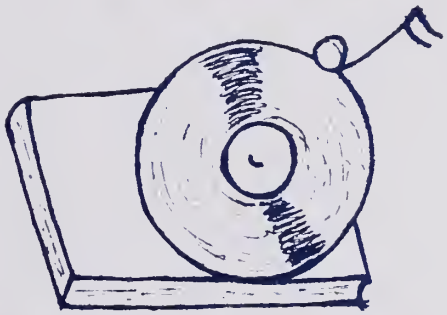

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Lorene Schubel Peverill

James Edward Phillips

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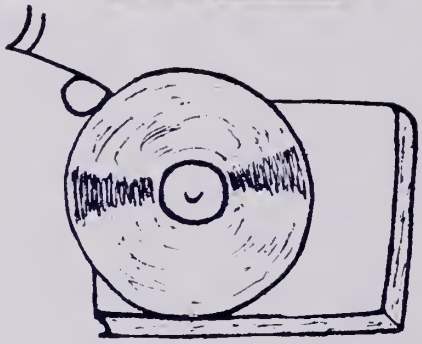

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Robert Clyde Sapp

Paul Clement Saulnier

Dixie Ruby Sawyer

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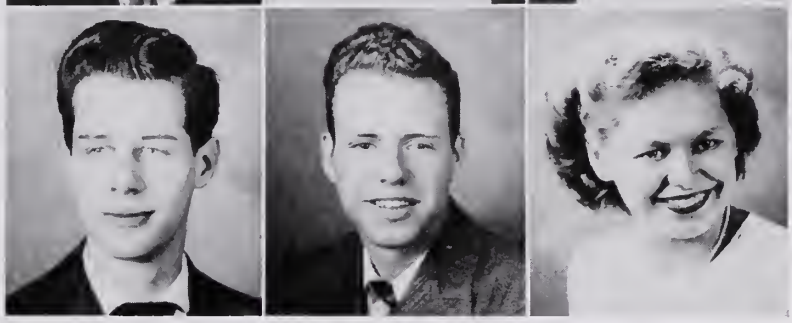

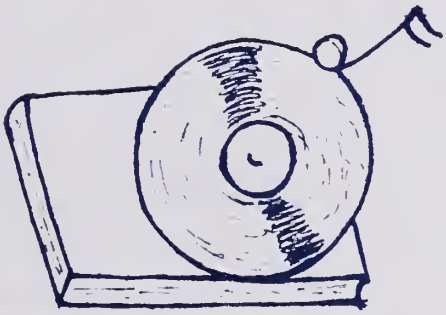

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Margaret Elizabeth Stevens

Dorothy Pauline Sullivan

Ann Nora Thomas

Charles William Thomas

Page Tilford Thompson

Seniors

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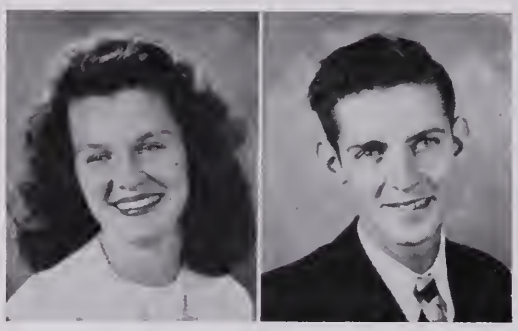


Herbert Edward Wheeler

Harvey Allen Westbrook

Dorson Worden Wilcox

Thelma Louise Williams

Carolyn Frances Wollon

William Lee Young

Lylie Elizabeth Yowell

Our School Plant

Home Economics Cottage

Shop

Custodian's House

Snaps

1. *The New Addition*

2. *This is Physical Ed.*

3. *Five of a Kind*

4. *Going Steady*

5. *Nose with his Kitty*

6. *And Her Hat is Still On*

7. *Lung Busters*

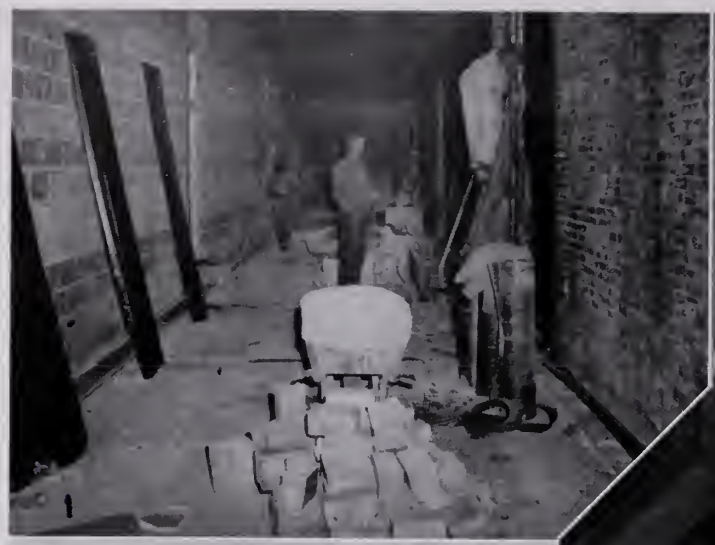
8. *I'm Violet!*

9. *Gal in Gobs Clothing*

10. *Groveton Hawaiians*

11. *Did Someone Say Smile?*

12. *That Gang from Nowhere*



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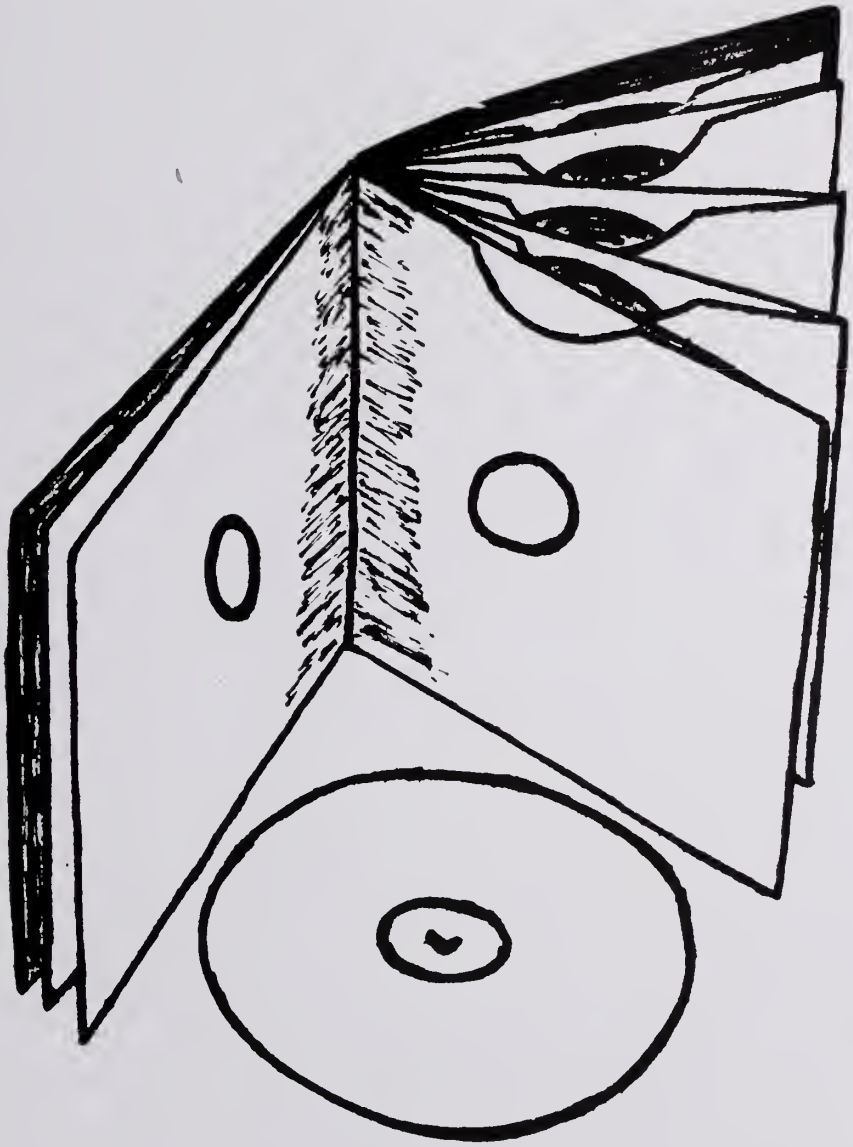


The Class of 1949

Junior Class Officers

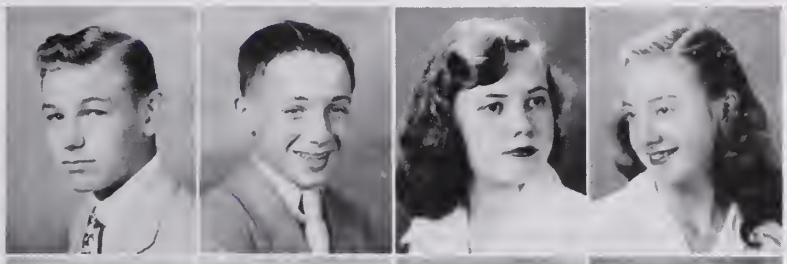
Bill Maple . . . . . *President*
Shelton Craig . . . . . *Vice President*
Emily Cook . . . . . *Secretary*
Eula Turner . . . . . *Treasurer*
Connie Sapp . . . . . *Reporter*
Miss Whitt . . . . . *Sponsor*
James Lamb . . . . . *Judicial Member*

Motto: *"Consider the future"*

Flower: *Gardenia* Colors: *Green and White*

Juniors

Ralph Ackerson
Martin Adem
Suzanna Akerblom
Jean Alcock



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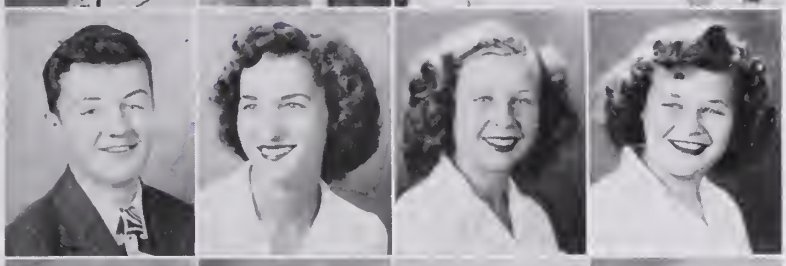

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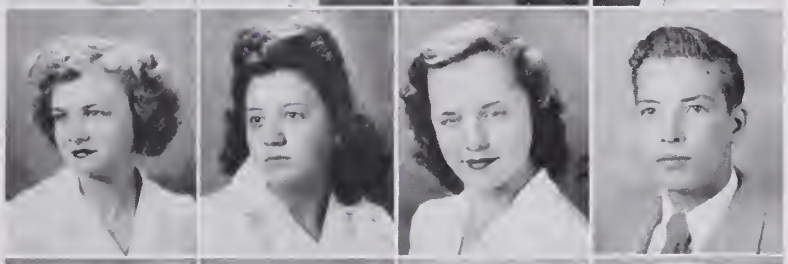

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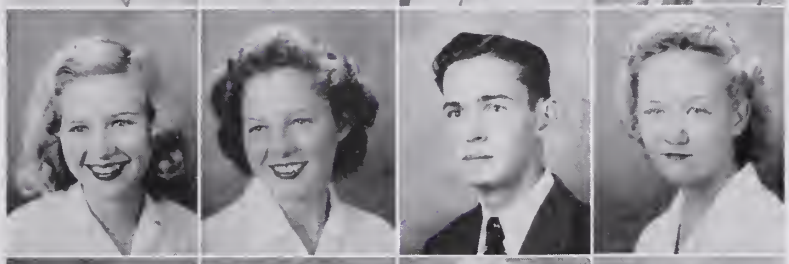

Carol Cahoon
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Frances Caton

Russell Clark
Mildred Coffey
Emily Cook
Gordon Cooper

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Virginia Cooper
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Geneva Cornwell
Eleanor Coumes

Joan Crabtree
Shelton Craig
Betty Cranford
Stella Curtis

Roxanne Dachtler
Dorothy Dail
Ruth Dant
Lawrence Darr

Page Daughton
Earl Davis
Gordon Davis
Graham Davis

Shirley Dodd
Eleanor Dodson
Shirley Dove
Betty Downs

Shirley Eldert
Robert Epps
Kenneth Everritt
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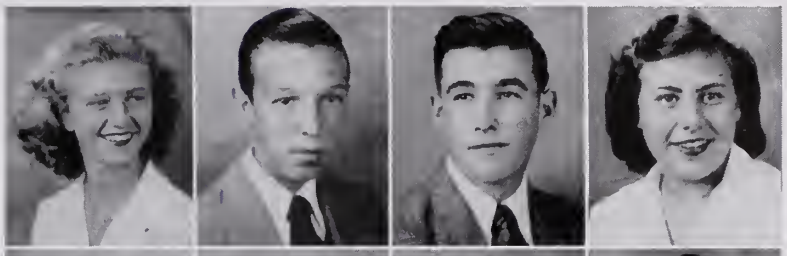

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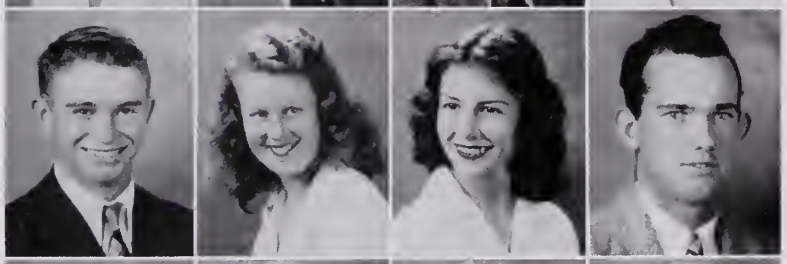

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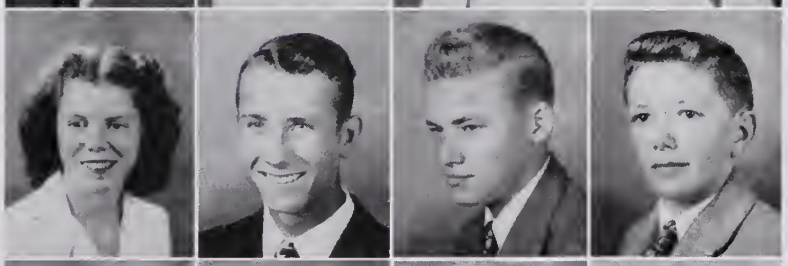

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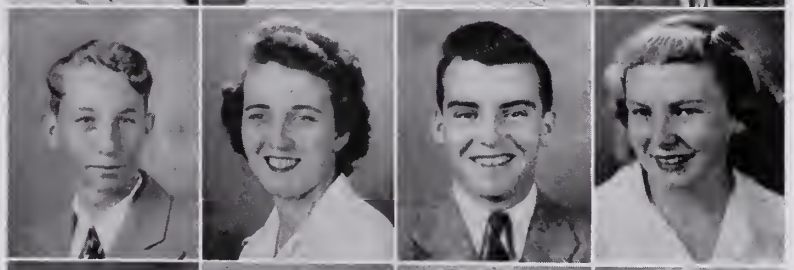

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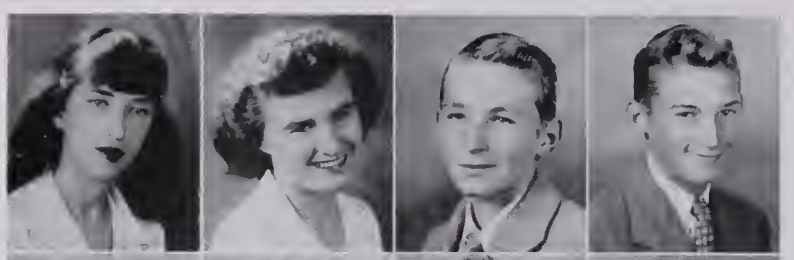

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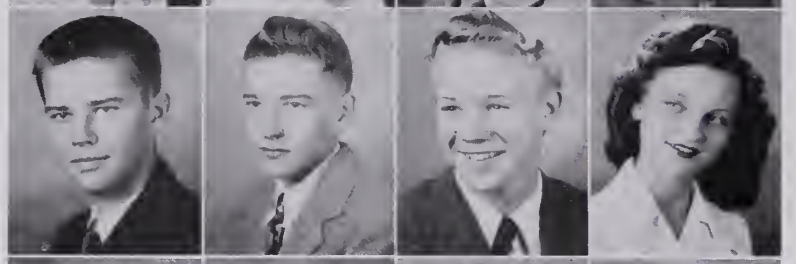

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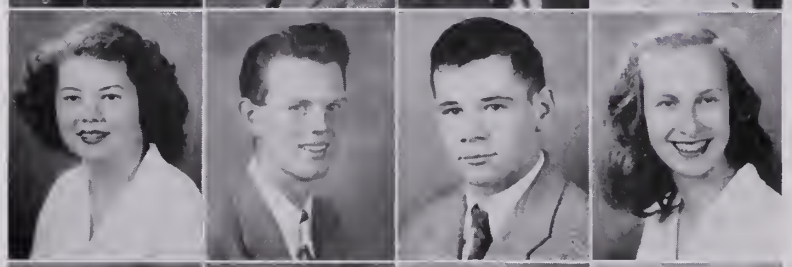

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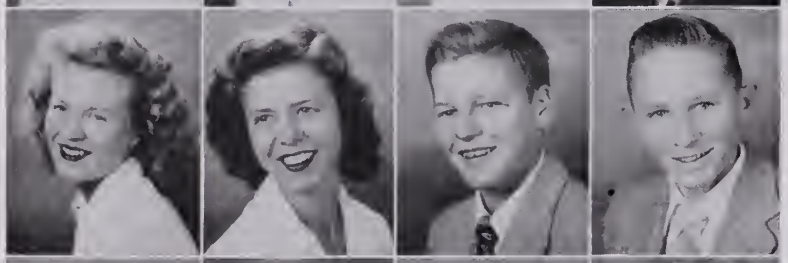

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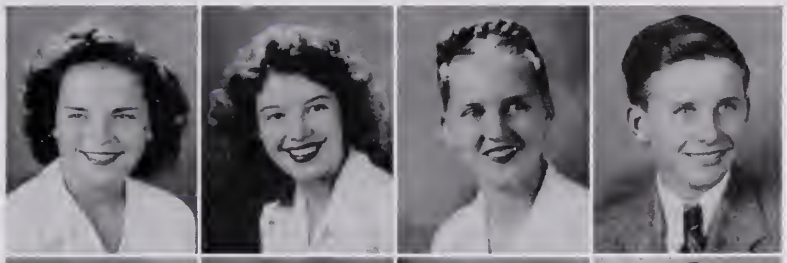
Mary Ann Shepherd
Martha Shepherd

Juniors

Hazel Shepherd
Viola Shifflett
Inez Shirk
Edward Showalter



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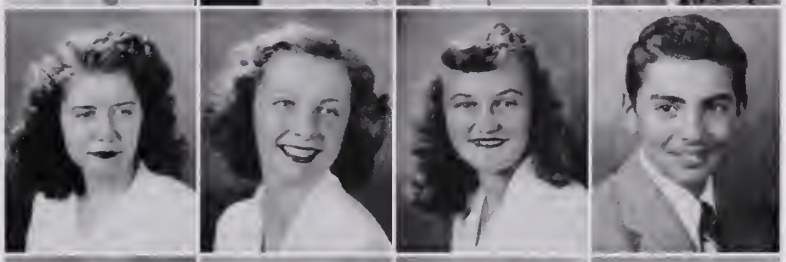
Dolly Snellings
Eugene Solot



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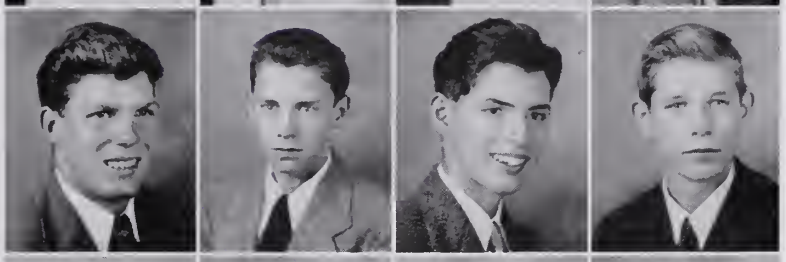
George Stauss
Charles Stevens



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Quincy Stover
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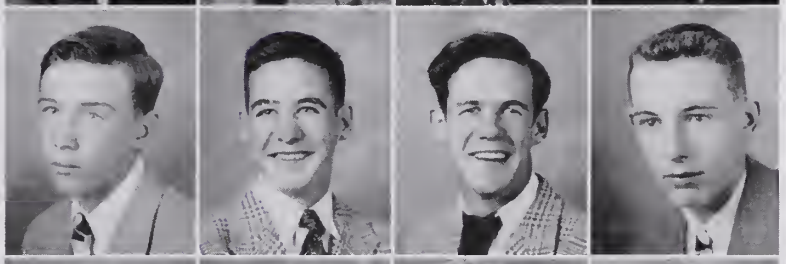

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Raymond Violett

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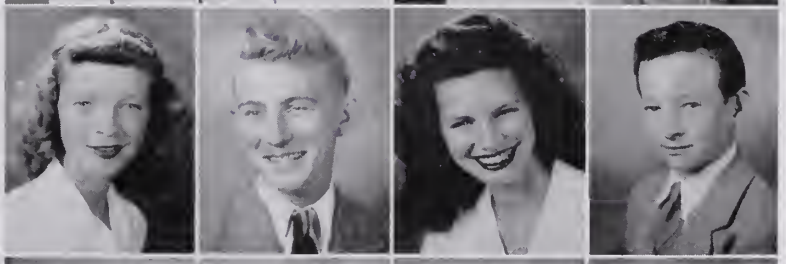
Keister Walker
Dorothy Weaver
Jerry Wells



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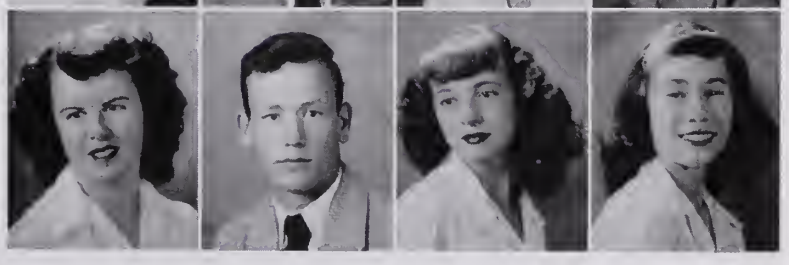
Charles Young
Loretta Young
Barbara Zehring



The Class of 1950

Sophomore Class Officers

JUNE PEARSON ..... *President*
BETTY BOMKAMP ..... *Vice President*
IRENE SAWYER ..... *Secretary*
JUSTIN FOGLEMAN ..... *Treasurer*
BILLY NEWMAN ..... *Reporter*
MISS WOOD ..... *Sponsor*
KENNETH BARNHILL ..... *Judicial Member*

MOTTO: *"Whatever is worth doing is worth doing well"*

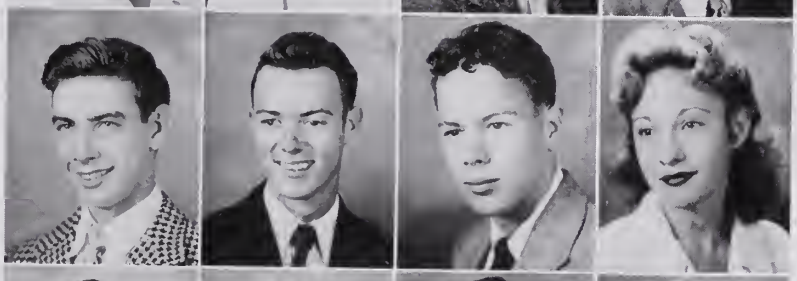
FLOWER: *Red and White Roses* COLORS: *Red and White*

Sophomores

Bill Adkins
Saturnino Alcayde
Eugene Atkinson
Kenneth Barnhill

Betty Bomkamp
Betty Boyer
Russell Carter
Richard Ellis

Buddy Everly
John Fogleman
Justin Fogleman
Darlene Herman



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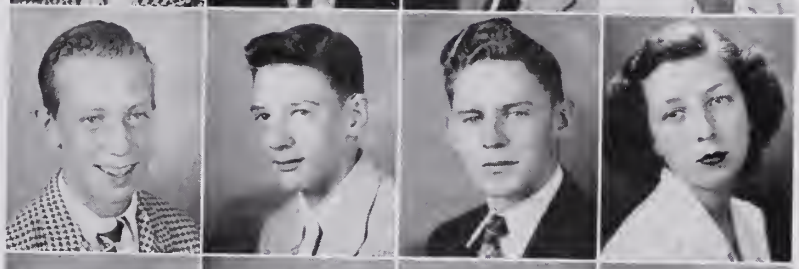
William Jacobs
Billy Newman
Jane Pearson



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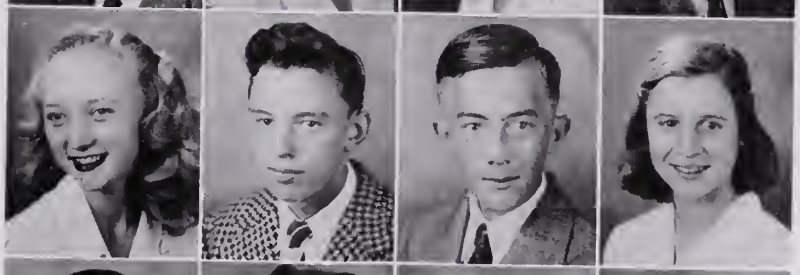
Clarke Prouty

Irene Sawyer
James Shinault
Bobby Sizemore
Ilse Smakula



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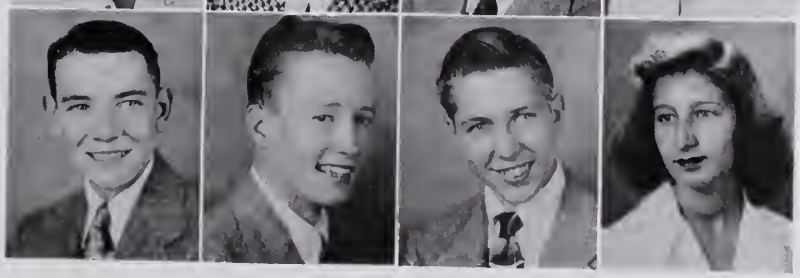
Richard Thomas
Bill Watson
Joan Worley



The Class of 1951

Freshman Class Officers

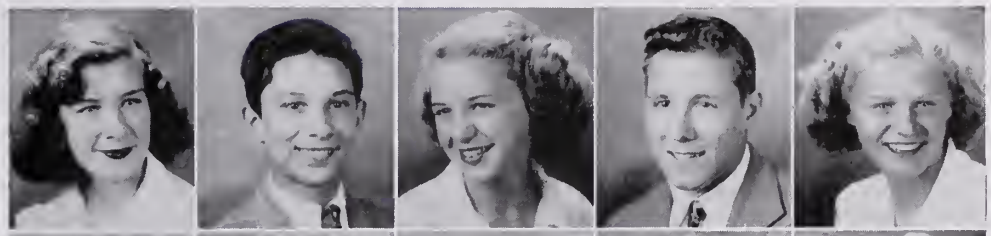
Stuart Van Scoyoc.....*President*
Raymond Harris.....*Vice President*
Dorothy Bayne.....*Secretary*
Mildred Pearson.....*Treasurer*
Shirley Himm.....*Reporter*
Miss Ashton.....*Sponsor*
Wallace Steucke.....*Judicial Member*

Motto: "*Thus always forward*"

Flower: *Red Rose* Colors: *Green and Silver*

Freshmen

Lois Acheson
Mackall Acheson
Alice Agee
Everett Alcorn
Mary Allen



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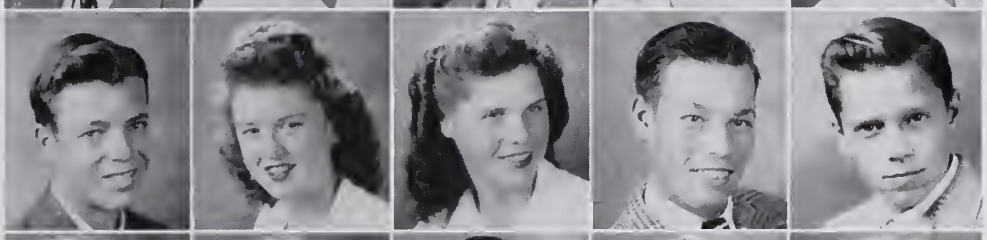
Rose Alvarez
Charles Atchison
Dorothy Bayne
Virginia Beach

James Beasley
Meriam Berrett
Rena Best
Carlton Blanchard
Robert Bradel



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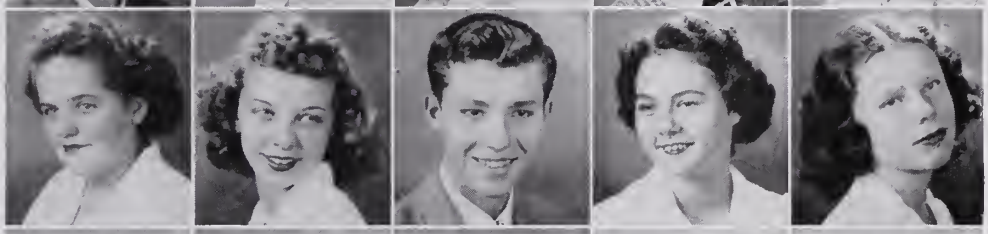
Joyce Brown
Leonard Bunch
Geraldine Butler
Barbara Cahoon



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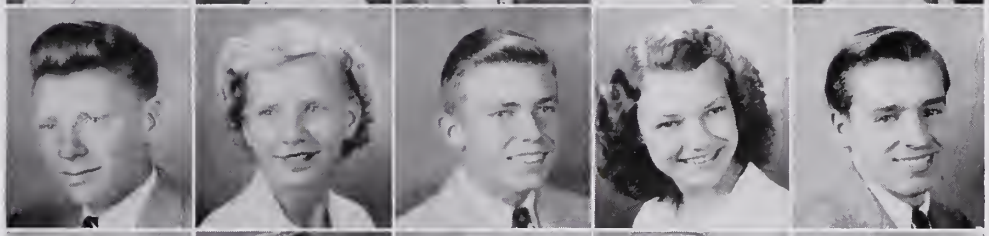
Eloise Carmichael
Chester Chinn
Barbara Christy
Earl Clem



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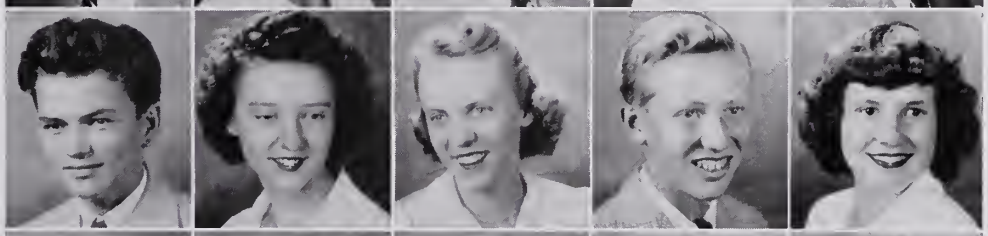
Doris Cornwell
Marie Costello
Langston Crabtree
Hilda Creed



Howell Crim
Earl Cubbage
Sally Dachtler
Robert Daves
David Ditto

Harry Dodson
Shirley Dooley
Bernice Dove
Marjorie Downs
Richard Downs

Freshmen

Ronald Duff
Dorothy Duvall
Doris Dyson
Clarence Ennis
Ann Faulconer

Betty Feil
Elsie Fielder
Margaret Flaherty
John Gelling
Ray Godfrey

Lorraine Goltry
Shirley Graves
William Hanekamp
Irene Harley
R. C. Harris

Carl Hasle
Betty Hatton
Grace Haug
Bruce Hecox
Leah Henry

Eleanor Hepler
Sara Herr
Doris Hicks
Dorothy Hill
Shirley Himm

Rhoda Horowitz
Wilbur Hudson
Virginia Huffman
Shirley Hutchinson
Donald Irvin

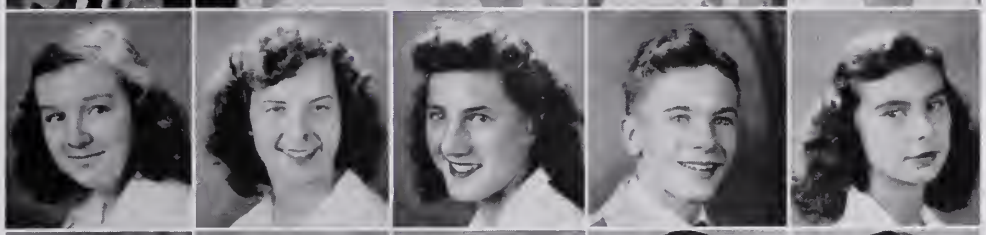
Johnny Johnson
Joyce Kerns
Janet Kidd
Ruth King
Leta Kirkpatrick

Philip Kiser
Richard Lacey
Barbara Leake
Millard Ledbetter
Dixie Lloyd

Freshmen

Steven Logan
Betty McCord
Barbara McKeown
Shirley Markley
Margaret Martin

Mary Lee Mason
Shirley Maters
Barbara Maxey
Jimmy Miller
Willie Mitchem



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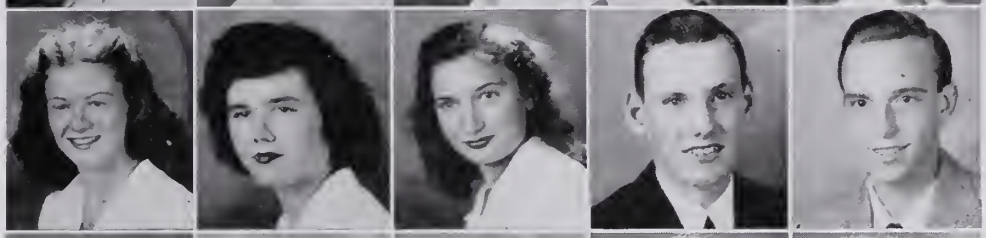
Blanche Morris
Edith Morrison
Marian Nelson
William Nelson



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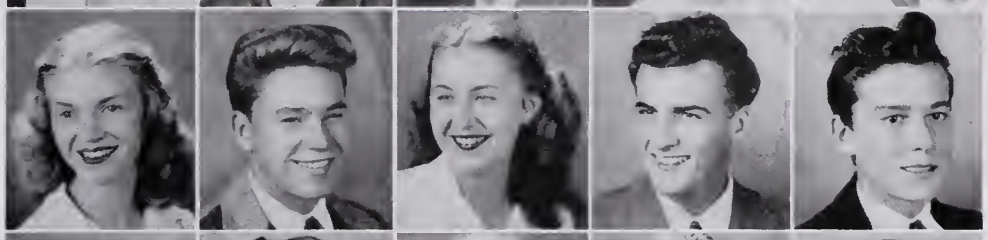
Paul Norfolk
Ramona Parnell
Opal Parsell

Mildred Pearson
Billy Petitt
Shirley Peverill
William Peverill
Douglas Phillips



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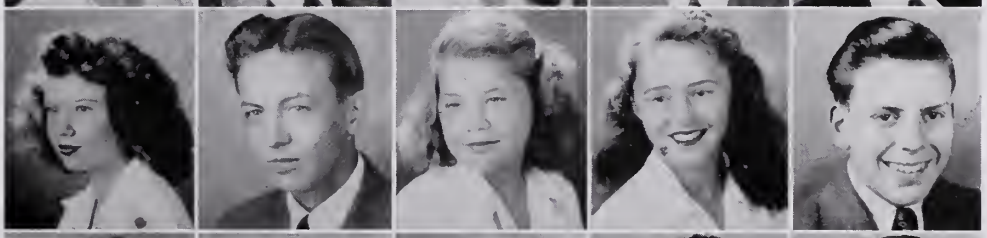
Virgie Purks
Mary Rice
George Roberts



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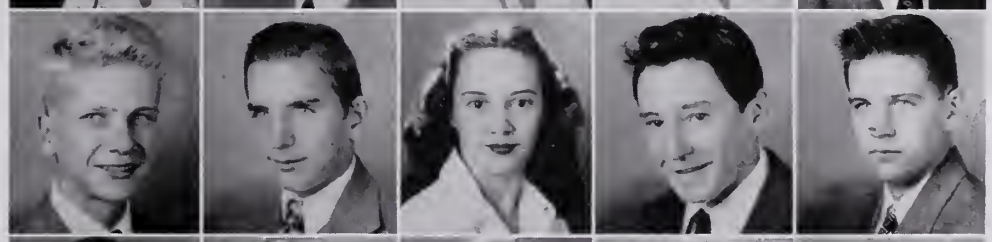
Amos Robertson
Gloria Rogers
James Rose
Louis Rossie



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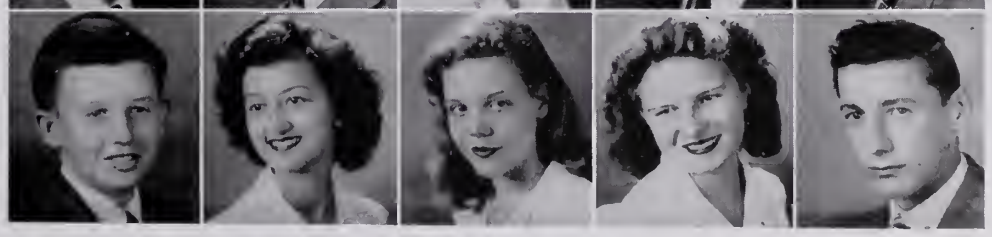
Gloria Schindel
Betty Scott
William Scott



Freshmen

Janice Scudder
Joyce Scudder
Josephine Selby
Barbara Seymour
Joan Shepherd

Herschal Shifflet
Geraldine Shiflett
Kenneth Shiflett
Ernest Simpson
Marie Skotta

Elli Smakula
Raphael Solot
Frances Spencer
Wallace Steucke
Robert Stover

John Sullivan
Lelia Swann
Joyce Tapley
James Taylor
Allen Thompson

Robert Thompson
Phyllis Tyers
Stuart Van Scoyoc
Richard Waddell
Jean Walker

Elwood Walton
Claude Warwick
Jo Ann Watkins
Lois Waybright
Eddie Welch

Eddie West
Harold Weston
Lois White
Dale Wilson
Virgil Wilson

Walter Woodring
Eleanor Workman
Fay Wray
John Wright

Snap Shots

1—*Bus Drivers*

2—*F. F. A.-F. H. A. Camp*

3—*T-Formation*

4—*Like Son*

5—*Like Father*

6—*High Speed*

7—*Betty and "Minuet"*

8—*Spring has Sprung*

9—*Junior Trio*

10—*Friendly Terms*

11—*Legs*

12—*Mr. Buckley's Proteges*

The Class of 1952

Eighth Grade Class Officers

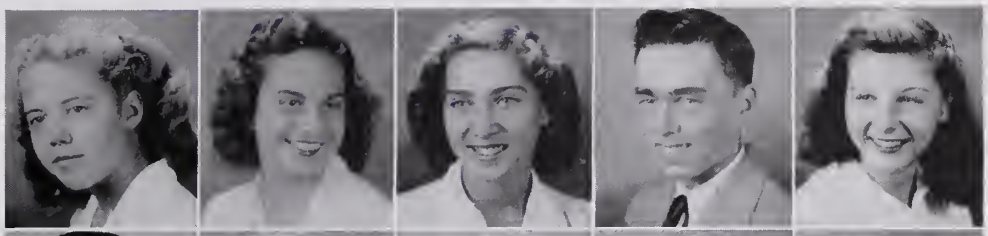
James Davis . . . . . *President*
Joyce Leisner . . . . . *Vice President*
Jean Huffman . . . . . *Secretary*
Frances Wood . . . . . *Treasurer*
Barbara Ann Shepherd . . . . . *Reporter*
Mrs. Quinley . . . . . *Sponsor*
Joyce Woodard . . . . . *Judicial Member*

Motto: *"True to Mount Vernon, forward with pride"*

Flower: *Lavender Orchid* Colors: *Gold and Lavender*

Eighth Graders

Raymona Arvin
Alice Ann Atkinson
Lois Ayers
Thomas Ayers
Sara Baggett



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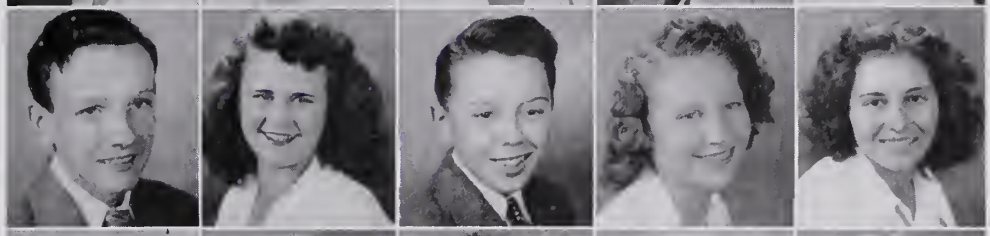
Don Bassler
Jennie Bayne
Addie Mae Beach



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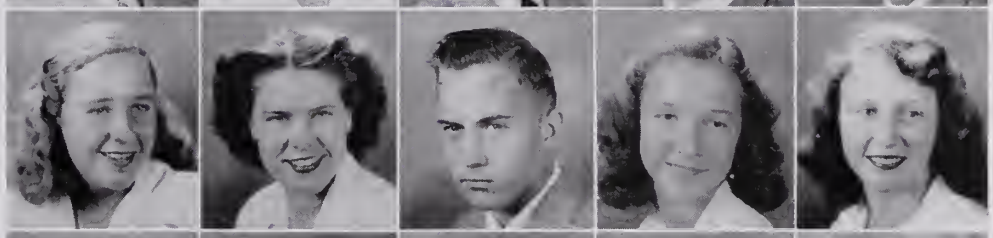
Jackie Bennet
La Verne Bennett
Elvie Berrett
Etta Best

Thomas Bevis
John David Blunt
Ellen Bragg
Jeannette Brown
William Bryant

Albert Blackburn
Lois Bungard
Jim Cahoon
Charles Clark
Charles M. Clark

Dorothy Clark
Betty Clem
William Cockrell
Sally Condrey
Carol Conley



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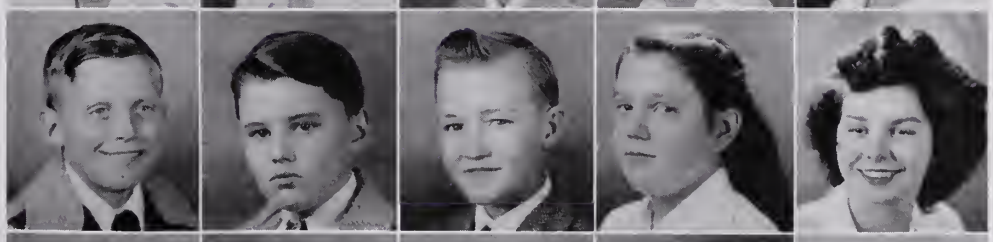
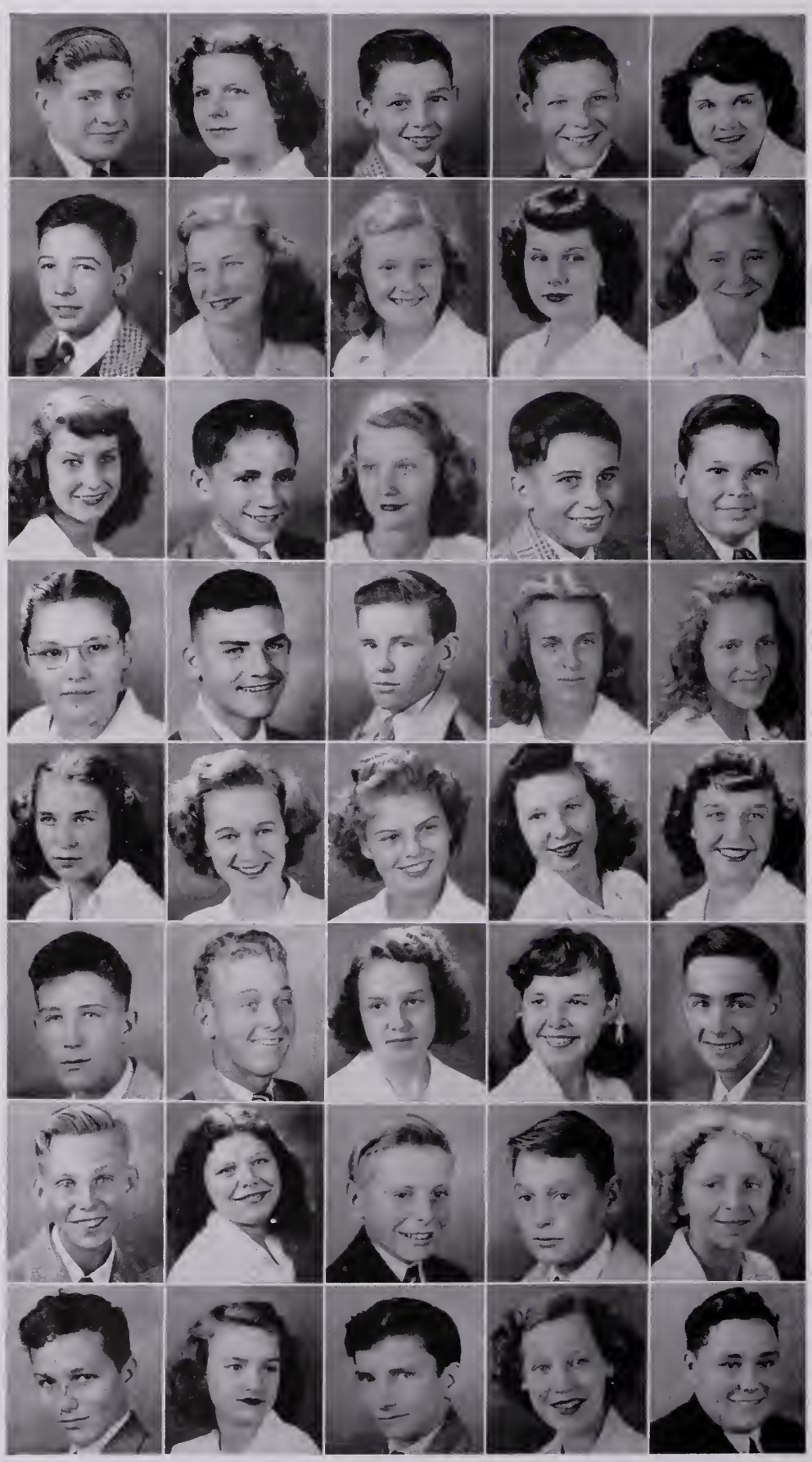
William Cornwell
Martha Craft
Mary Ellen Cropper



Rodney Crump
Patricia Cummins
Ellis Dail
Constance Darby
Edwin Darr

Eighth Graders



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Dorothy Davis
James Davis
Allen Dawson
Kathryn Denty

Lawrence Dodd
Alice Dodson
Mary Dodson
Wanda Douglas
Esther Duncan

Betty Ann Durrer
Billy Eldert
Shirley Ewing
Douglas Facchina
Donald Fenimore

Harriet Fewell
Louis Fiel
John Fletcher
Joyce Fletcher
Norma Flinchum

Marjorie Gallahan
Barbara Gardner
Jacquelyn Garrett
Ruth Garrott
Dreama Gentilini

Gene Gerrard
Mark Gibson
Dolores Giles
Patricia Hall
Albert Halloway

Robert Harper
Ruth Hatton
Robert Hasle
Vernon Havenner
Anita Hollins

Lloyd Hoppe
Frances Howard
Larry Howard
Jean Huffman
Ronald Huffman

Eighth Graders

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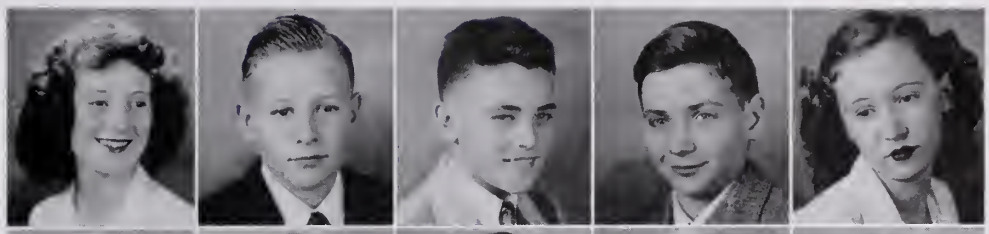
William Jacobs
Bruce Jenkins
Aubrey Jones
Ruby Jones



Suzanne Karstens
Dick Kaufman
Mylo Keck
Frances Keller
Gilbert Kitzmiller

James Knupp
Mary Lou Lakey
Arline Larson
Peggy Leatherland
Dolores Levay

Joyce Leisner
Mac Lovett
Peggy Lowe
Harvey Magner
Jeanne Mandley

Richard Mansha
Peggy Markley
James Maxey
Arthur Melvin
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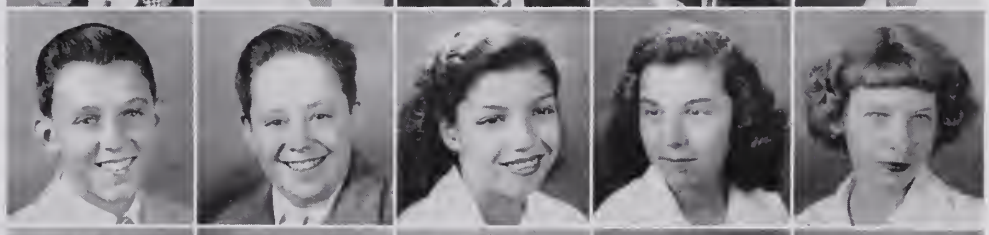
William Miller
Edward Monroe
Marjorie Moore
Wanda Moore
Marion Morgan



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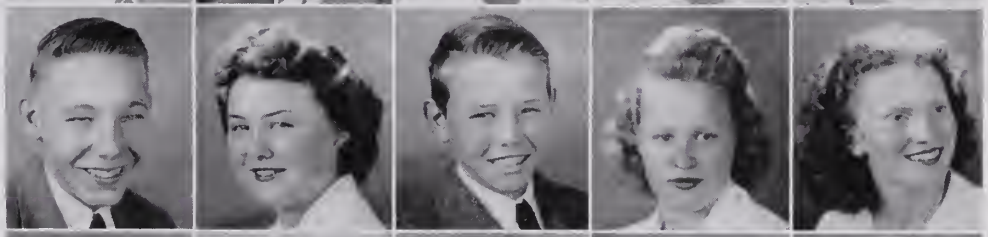
Paul Morrison
Geraldine Mountjoy
Sarah Munday



Mary Lou Neitzey
Harold Norton
Katherine Ogden
Shirley Olesen
Betty Olmsted

Eighth Graders

Opal Parsons
Ester Peabody
Clarence Pearson
Barbara Pegelow
Calvin Penn

Donald Penn
Ann Perry
Alvin Petitt
Rosalie Petitt
Patricia Pipkin

Georgie Powell
Ronald Priddy
Virginia Prince
Myrtle Pullen
Paul Quinn

Evangeling Ragen
Courtland Ray
Barbara Reid
James Rice
Barbara Ridgeway

Allen Roberts
Philip Roberts
Octavia Roland
Roy Rothgeb
Charlie Sanborn

Jasper Satterwhite
Jo Ann Sathmary
Edward Sawyer
Ruth Schindel
Wendell Schurtz

Lawrence Schwarz
Barbara Ann Shepherd
Barbara Ellen Shepherd
Jessie Shifflet
Richard Shipley

Sara Shirk
Myrlen Simmons
Charles Singleton
Alice Sisson
Cecelia Snellings

Eighth Graders

Elizabeth Snyder
Joan Spencer
Katherine Swink
Alice Mae Tabbott
Clarence Talbert

Horace Talbott
Gladys Taylor
Peggy Tyler
Catherine Van Dornes
Corena Vestal

Dallas Viar
Donald Violett
Elsa Mae Volz
Charlotte Wade
William Walsh

Robert Warwich
Virginia Waugh
Robert Welton
William Weston
June White

Leona White
Donald Williams
Carl Winterwerp
Charles Wood
Frances Wood

James Woodard
Joyce Woodard
Joseph Wright
Jo Ann Young

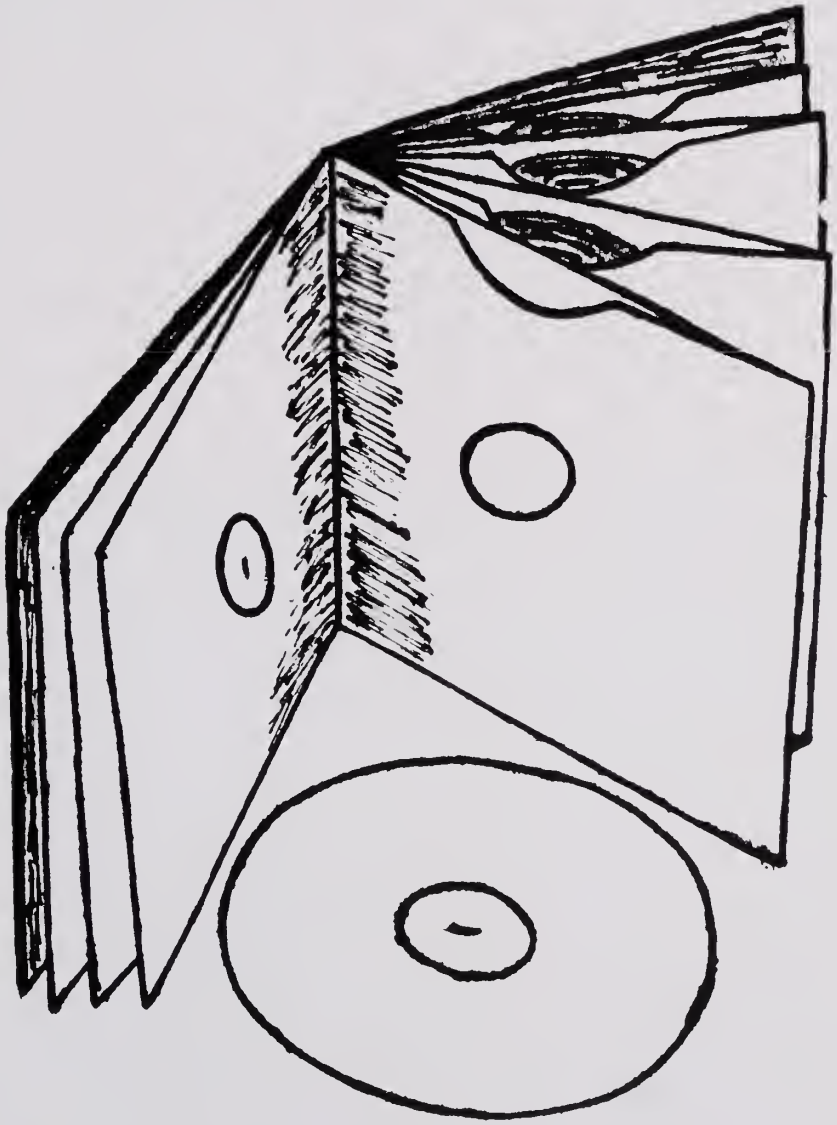
STORE ROOM

HOME ECONOMICS

LIBRARY

BOOK ROOM

"Activities"



STUDENT

GARDNER VAN SCOYOC
President

CHARLES YOUNG
Vice President

KATHRYN WEAVER
Secretary

EDWINA MOSS
Treasurer

JOHN CATHEY
Reporter

MISS WILLIAMS
Sponsor

FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: *B. Warren, P. McInturff, C. George, A. MacDonald, P. Saulnier, C. Crim.* SECOND ROW: *B. Flinchum, B. McElroy, C. Thomas, J. Simms, S. Craig, K. Fleenor.* THIRD ROW: *K. Barnhill, J. Nicely, J. Lamb, B. Leake, H. Talbert, B. Beales.* FOURTH ROW: *W. Weston, J. Woodard, C. Stover, J. Brown, D. Ditto, I. Sawyer.* FIFTH ROW: *L. Fiel, J. Miller, D. Levay, B. Daves, L. Rossie, W. Steucke.*

GOVERNMENT

We believe that student self-government is essential for building individual ideals in democracy. To fulfill this purpose the students elect officers yearly on the basis of loyalty, dependability, and citizenship.

This year the Student Government has sponsored a number of activities: the magazine campaign; a dance; Community Chest Drive; dream boy and girl contest and the Santa Claus letter contest. In addition to these activities the Student Government organized the Pep Club.

The magazine campaign was a big success this year and the Student Government made a profit of $625.00, which is to go toward the lights and bleachers.

At the first meeting of the Fairfax County Student Council Association the officers were elected and Gardner Van Scoyoc from Mr. Vernon High School was elected president.

This year a standing committee was organized composed of a representative from each club and from each class. The purpose of this coordinating Council is to eliminate the conflict in activities sponsored by the different clubs.

The Student Government has had a very successful year, and we feel this success is due to the efforts and hard work of Gardner, and the wonderful cooperation and assistance by all members of the council.

1. *Committee Meeting*
2. *Picture Contest*
3. *Judicial Meeting*
4. *Cabinet Meeting*
5. *Legislative Department*
6. *Magazine Campaign*

SURVEYOR

ROLAND BROWN
Editor

KATHRYN WEAVER
Assistant Editor

MISS LOWMAN
Sponsor

JOETTA DAWSON
Business Manager

GARDNER VAN SCOYOC
Advertising Manager

When the summer months finally passed away and everyone returned to school and classes, students, of course, began to think of clubs. One of the most important clubs in the school is the Yearbook Club.

This year the staff was chosen in a new and more democratic manner. A committee of students set up a slate of nominees for the offices and they were voted upon by the entire student body.

Early in the fall, Mr. Joe Loeb, our photographer; Mr. W. L. Dooley, our representative from Stone Printing Company; Miss Lowman, our sponsor, and Mr. Landes, talked over plans for this yearbook in order to produce Mount Vernon's best.

Again this year students were excused to travel to Mr. Loeb's Studio to have their pictures taken for the annual.

Many thanks are due Robison's Clothing Store of Alexandria and the manager, Mr. Yellen, for granting permission to take the picture of Miss Mount Vernon in one of their picturesque gowns. We

Home Room Representatives

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *June Pearson, Jimmy Miller, Joan Crabtree, Dorothy Bayne.*

STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: *Wilbur Hudson, Meriam Berett, Barbara Maxey, June White, Joyce Woodard, Wanda Douglas, Jean Huffman, Sarah Baggett, Lloyd Bayliss.*

STAFF

Home Room Representatives

LEFT TO RIGHT: *Jackie Bender; Shirley Hastings; Eula Turner; Mr. Dooley, representative from Stone Printing Company; Helen Marymee; Beverly Reller; Jeffrey Stewart.*

MISSING: *Ann Dodd and Virginia Huffman.*

are also grateful to the various faculty members who helped us from time to time with creative and constructive suggestions.

The advertising staff certainly deserve medals for the work done this year. Every member strove to win the prize offered which was having his yearbook padded and engraved free. Roland Brown won the prize for soliciting the largest number of advertisements.

Because of the $800 debt carried over from the '46-'47 SURVEYOR, it was necessary that the staff start making money. The lunch concession was granted to the club to help pay the debt.

The first semester this consisted of hot dogs and barbecues, but when the staff got tired of slinging mustard and relish, the lunch was switched to ready made sandwiches of every variety and hot chili.

With the help of an unforgettable baby contest, from which the profits were surprisingly high, and a most successful dance, the debt was soon paid.

As we sit and scan the pages of this volume of the SURVEYOR, we are truly sorry the work is finished. But we have done our best so that next year the staff will not have to be slinging mustard, dipping chili and calling, "Hot dogs and barbecues."

CHARLES THOMAS
Sports Editor

BETTY OVERLY
Assistant Advertising Manager

DOROTHY WEAVER
Assistant Business Manager

EDWINA MOSS
Assistant Sports Editor

ROSE MARIE DWYER
Club Editor

JAMES PHILLIPS
Typing Editor

EM VEE HI

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *John Smith, Beverly Reller, Anne McDonald, Cynthia Edwards, Rose Marie Dwyer, Jeffrey Stewart, Dorothy Embrey.*
STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: *Mary Ruffner, Roland Brown, Phyllis McInturff, Robert Duncan, Shirley Hastings, Carter Hall, Jean Waybright, Jeanne Frinks.*

With the assistance of Miss Engleman, the *Em Vee Hi* Staff was organized in September, and its members soon started to work producing the school paper. This year, *Em Vee Hi* has been larger and many new features have found themselves on its pages.

Chosen to head the paper as Editor-in-Chief was Cynthia Edwards. With the help of the Assistant Editor, Anne McDonald, she planned and supervised each publication.

To Shirley Hastings and Roland Brown as co-feature editors, fell the job of thinking up original features to add the necessary "life" to the paper.

This year, a column of classroom wit called "Spills and Thrills" made its debut in *Em Vee Hi*, as well as the findings of an Inquiring Reporter and several much-discussed features on the various communities surrounding Mount Vernon.

Jeffrey Stewart and Rose Marie Dwyer provided that all-important sports news, while Gardner Van Scoyoc wrote a column on the inside of sports called "The Scoreboard."

A paper needs pictures to brighten its pages, and Mary Ruffner, along with pen and ink, always came through with drawings.

To Dorothy Embrey goes the credit for those eye-catching headlines.

Beverly Reller, as Club Editor, constantly hounded the club reporters for news of clubs and their activities.

We have Jean Waybright to thank for letting us know about other schools, through the Exchange column, and Jeanne Frinks for keeping up with the Alumni.

Phyllis McInturff and John Smith as Business Manager and Advertising Manager, were largely responsible for keeping *Em Vee Hi* on the go.

Although there is not enough room here to mention each of the reporters separately, everyone of them deserves credit for a really difficult job well done. To them fell the job of getting that news, which they did, even under numerous handicaps. Without the reporters, and their tireless and diligent work, production of *Em Vee Hi* would not have been possible.

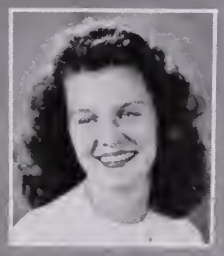
Highlighting the season, the *Em Vee Hi* Staff sponsored a Valentine Dance held in the hall of Mount Vernon High School. A juke box provided the music, and a King and Queen of Hearts were elected.

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *Donna Judy, Jane Niceley, Helen Marymee, Gardner Van Scoyoc, Miss Engleman, Mary Jones, Ruby McClary, Betty Plaugher, Betty Hatton, Eleanor Dodson.*

STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: *Shirley Eldert, Jackie Bender, Carol Wollon, Kent Fleenor, Eula Turner, Bill Maple, Marie Schroer, Betty Cranford, Betty Wagner, Ila Jane Bennett, Alice Levay, Dorothy Dale.*

MISSING: *Catherine Crim.*

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS



KATHRYN WEAVER
President

DOROTHY WEAVER
Vice President

JANET VIAR
Secretary

ROXANNE DACHTLER
Treasurer

"We are the Future Homemakers of America
We face the future with warm courage
And high hope"

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

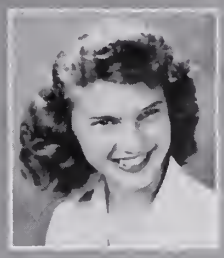
SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT, FIRST ROW: *M. Pearson, D. Cornwell, B. Seymour, D. Hill, S. Maters, L. Goltry, A. Thomas, J. Viar, D. Weaver, K. Weaver, Mrs. P. Robertson, Miss R. Woodbridge, R. Dachtler, A. Dodd, J. Tucker, V. Harris, S. Dodd, D. Lovett, B. McCord, V. Purks, D. Bayne, A. Buckman, S. Eldert, P. Carter.*

STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT, SECOND ROW: *A. Fenimore, A. Cameron, B. Freeland, D. Huntington, V. Hollins, C. Hall, M. Bollinger, A. Agee, J. Walker, J. Tapley, H. Marymee, S. Peverill, R. King, M. Flaherty, L. Jones, O. Parsell, E. Moore, B. Morris, J. Crabtree, L. Kirkpatrick, B. Leake, D. Judy, E. Coumes, M. Flinchum.*

STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT, THIRD ROW: *T. Ridgeway, N. Ridgeway, G. Cornwell, E. Morris, M. Cash, O. Moore, H. Shepherd, L. Magner, S. Dooley, I. Harley, G. Rogers, J. Alcock, J. Snellings, L. Brown, J. Kerns, G. Synder, J. Scudder, M. Martin, R. Horowitz, B. Perry.*

OF AMERICA

ANNE DODD
Reporter



JEVERNNA TUCKER
Parliamentarian

ANN THOMAS
District Federation Member

MRS. ROBERTSON
Sponsor

We, the Busy Homemakers, have enjoyed various activities, including a successful hay ride and dance. Our Christmas Festival and Fashion Revue received many favorable comments. Club girls sold food and drinks at all football games for the benefit of the athletic fund. We participated in the P. W.-F. Federation Rally. We have compiled a scrapbook which contains items about all the activities sponsored by the club. A number of girls received their Junior Homemaker Degree of Membership. An article in *Teen Times*, our national paper, honored our chapter; this article described the plaque which was received to place the names of honorary members on. To climax our year we sponsored a successful Mother-Daughter Banquet.

LEFT TO RIGHT: *V. Harris, Song Leader; A. Dodd, Reporter; J. Viar, Secretary; K. Weaver, President; Mrs. Robertson, Sponsor; D. Weaver, Vice President; J. Tucker, Parliamentarian; R. Dachtler, Treasurer; A. Thomas, District Federation Member.*

GIRL

LEFT TO RIGHT: *F. Caton, J. Simms, M. Batton, B. Copithorn, G. Lambright, M. Jones, D. Dale, V. Huffman, D. Snellings, A. Fenimore, H. Roland, M. Cash, B. Perry, B. Cranford, J. Bender, J. Viar, R. Dachtler, J. Alcock, P. Sullivan, J. Gelling, J. Hill, L. Magner, M. Bollinger, J. Pearson, E. Dodson.*

Troop 22

The officers this year were: President, Virginia Huffman; Vice President, Pauline Sullivan; Secretary, Emma Baker; Treasurer, Eleanor Dodson; Reporter, Janet Viar, and Sponsor, Miss Wood.

Troop Number 22 consisted of Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors. This was known as the upperclassmen troop.

As a good beginning we gave a successful dance for the benefit of our French girl, Monique Martin. The Girl Scouts are being the sponsor of this little girl who was first adopted by the entire school. Then we gave another dance and this time it was really a gay affair. It was called a "Circus Ball." At intermission there was a regular side show with freaks, clowns, lion tamers and everything. We sold popcorn to add to the circus atmosphere.

Before Christmas the Girl Scouts were asked to make favors for the Red Cross. They made little red caps, nut cups and Yule logs. In making the Yule logs they cut pine branches and used the electric saw and drill in the shop. This was one opportunity the girls had of learning something about shop work. These favors were collected by the Red Cross workers and distributed by them to various Army camp hospitals.

The Scouts had a bake sale at the P. T. A. meeting in March. At this meeting they also gave a pageant on the History of the Flag. The Girl Scouts were asked to present this program because March 12 was the birthday of the organization.

Many parties and dances were planned and given by the Scouts. On December 12, 1947, the Scouts had a get-together with the girls from Falls Church, Vienna and Fairfax troops at the Community House on Telegraph Road. The purpose of this dance was to give girls from all the Senior troops in the county an opportunity to get acquainted.

SCOUTS

LEFT TO RIGHT: *S. Dachtler, F. Ray, J. Kidd, L. Jones, P. Flaherty, L. White, S. Peverill, L. Waybright, E. Field, R. Parnell, O. Parcell, E. Moore, J. Scudder, S. Herr, E. Carmichael, B. McCord, S. Dooley, J. Selby, M. Barrett, W. Moore, J. Shepherd, I. Harley, B. Hatton.*

Troop 49

This year, due to the growth of the Girl Scouts, it was necessary to organize a separate troop for freshmen. The troops met in Mrs. Hatch's office on Fridays; Troop 49 (ours) one Friday and Troop 22 the next.

At Christmastime our troop made nut cups, Santa Claus hats and Yule logs for the Red Cross. They were sent to Fort Belvoir for the soldiers in the hospital.

In order to make money we had bake-sales at lunchtime consisting of home-made cookies and candy. Other money-making projects were the sale of Girl Scout cookies and calendars.

A few of the freshmen helped the Tuberculosis Association in Alexandria by getting the envelopes ready for mail during the seal sale campaign.

During the winter the meeting time was spent working on flowers which we make from spantex, a new plastic material. In the spring most of the time during regular meetings was used in planning hikes and other out-of-door activities. In March both troops put on a pageant for the program at the regular P. T. A. meeting.

Both troops helped to sponsor the raising of money for the care of the little French girl, Monique Martin. Two dances were given to raise money for this purpose.

This year our club was under the direction of the following officers: President, Betty Hatton; Vice President, Sally Dachtler; Secretary, Lois White; Treasurer, Margaret Flaherty; Reporter, Meriam Berrett.

Honor Society

Left to Right, First Row: *G. Lambright, B. Reller, C. Edwards.*
Second Row, Left to Right: *C. Wollen, R. Dwyer, J. Hootman.*
Third Row, Left to Right: *K. Cook, A. Cook, P. McInturff, Miss Lowman (Sponsor).*
Missing: *Catherine Crim.*

In May, 1945, the Lawrence Washinton Chapter of the National Honor Society was organized at Mount Vernon High School. The purpose of the society is to create an enthusiam for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote worthy leadership, and to encourage the development of character in the pupils of Mount Vernon High School

Quill and Scroll

The Edgar Allen Poe Chapter of Quill and Scroll, International Honorary Society for High School Journalists, was organized at Mount Vernon early in 1946.

To be eligible for membership, a student must be of at least junior standing, be in the upper third of his class, have done outstanding work in some phase of journalism, be recommended by the advisor of the publication, and be approved by the society's executive secretary.

First Row Seated, Left to Right: *H. Marymee, R. Engleman (Sponsor), A. McDonald.*
Second Row, Left to Right: *K. Fleenor, R. Brown, S. Hastings, C. Edwards.*

LEFT TO RIGHT: *Elmer Booth, Treasurer; Robert Lyles, Secretary; Mr. Landes, Sponsor; Roland Brown, President; Shelton Craig, Vice President.*
SECOND ROW: *Hal Crim; Gardner Van Scoyoc; Justin Fogleman; Stewart Van Scoyoc; Wallace Steuke.*
THIRD ROW: *Wilbur Hudson; Bill Maples; Billy Hughes; George Stauss; Patrick Frickelton.*

Key Club

The Key Club is a community service club sponsored by Kiwanis International.

The Mount Vernon Key Club was organized early in December by Sergeant Charles Tucker and C. B. Jett, members of the Woodbridge Kiwanis Club. Officers were elected with Commander Carol White, president of the Kiwanis Club of Woodbridge, presiding. The officers are President, Roland Brown; Vice President, Shelton Craig; Secretary, Robert Lyles; Treasurer, Elmer Booth. All members of the club were chosen on the basis of citizenship and scholarship.

The biggest event of the year for the Key Club was Charter Night, held on February 20, 1948. The purpose of this meeting was to get the Key Club officially under way by receiving its charter from Kiwanis International.

The charter of the club was received by the president. The bell and gavel, a gift of the Kiwanis Clubs of Alexandria and Woodbridge, with which to call meetings to order, was received by the vice president. The secretary received a kit with which to keep accurate records of club meetings and other data.

The banquet was provided by Mr. Blas Garcia. Because of the lack of facilities at Mount Vernon, the banquet was held in Mr. Garcia's Coffee Shoppe.

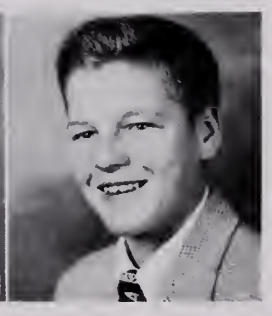
Since this was a new club at Mount Vernon, it was difficult to get a project started and live up to our motto, "We Build."

With the help of our sponsor, Mr. Landes, the Key Club was successful in its establishment this year.

PEP

Miss Janice Prince
Sponsor

Janet Viar
President



Pat Posey
Vice President

After being out of action for the 1946-47 school year, the Pep Club of Mount Vernon was reorganized in November. With over two hundred members, the club sponsored many activities. There were pep rallies on the bleachers and entertainment by outstanding athletes, Charlie George, "Nose" Hartman and "Tillie" Thompson. These boys were known as the most talented and beautiful cheerleaders in the United States. The rallies enabled most of the members of the club to learn all the new yells.

In January the Pep Club held a "Varsity Hop." The main feature attraction was the crowning of the Varsity Queen, Kathryn Weaver, by Colonel Waldren E. Leanard. The Queen's court included: Rose Marie Dwyer, Betty Overly, Marjorie Moshier and Janet Viar. Each girl was dressed formally and carried flowers.

CLUB

VIRGINIA HUFFMAN
Secretary

MILDRED PETERS
Treasurer

BETTY MCELORY
Reporter

Janet Viar, the president, chose the committee for the dance and this included the officers and other members of the club. Refreshments were sold and the music was furnished by the Ajax Orchestra. Since the dance began after the basketball game, most of the athletes of Mount Vernon were present.

After the dance the club made plans for an athletic banquet and many other forms of entertainment.

Because the officers and the sponsor took a great interest in the Pep Club, it has become an outstanding organization, not only in its work in backing up the cheerleaders, but also in building up the morale of the players.

Patrols

First Row, Left to Right: *Bob Flinchum, Captain; Ernestine Simpson, Lieutenant; Page Doughton, Lieutenant; Johnny Posey, Lieutenant.*

Second Row, Left to Right: *James Phillips, Barbara Seymour, Mary Shepherd, Joan Gelling, Joetta Dawson, Vernita Hollins, Catherine Hall, Charles Young.*

Third Row, Left to Right: *Broadus Bunch, Irene Sawyer, Bonnie Lloyd, Dolores Petitt, Ann Cameron, Kathryn Weaver, Betty Downs, Violet Harris, Robert Duncan.*

Fourth Row, Left to Right: *Mr. Buckley.*

Motto: "*If people practiced the Golden Rule,*
There'd be no need for patrols at school."

The patrols of Mount Vernon High School were organized on September 26, 1947, with the aid of the Fairfax County Police.

The purpose of the patrols is to direct safety on the buses.

All patrols of Maryland, Washington, D. C., and Northern Virginia participated in a parade which was held May 22, 1948, in Washington, D. C. We saw, free, one football, one basketball, and two baseball games and two movies.

The Patrol organization works directly with its sponsor, Mr. Ralph E. Buckley, and the bus drivers, and is doing a fine job directing safety.

The officers are: Bob Flinchum, Secretary of Safety and Captain; Ernestine Simpson, Page Doughton, and Johnny Posey, Lieutenants.

Glee Club

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *V. Harris, J. Walker, S. Himm, J. Crabtree, B. Copithorn, I. Sawyer, P. Sullivan, G. Van Scoyoc, J. Griffin, B. Sipes, J. Harris, G. Haug, L. Painter, B. Plaugher, Miss Bittle, Director.*

FIRST ROW, STANDING: *R. Thompson, A. Paul, J. Phillips, D. Herman, L. Olmstead, D. Lloyd, W. Steucke, J. Simms, M. Barrett, C. Rivers, J. Viar, M. Moshier.*

SECOND ROW, STANDING: *G. Stauss, D. Judy, R. Thomas, K. Crawford, A. Thompson, M. Ruffner, D. Wilcox, M. Flaherty, R. Platt, A. Riley, L. Crabtree, D. Embrey, J. Worley and J. Hootman.*

MISSING: *Elizabeth Yowell and Virginia Huffman.*

The 1947-48 Glee Club elected officers in October, 1947, and the results were as follows: Betty Jean Plaugher, President; Charles Gordon, Vice President; Marjorie Moshier, Secretary-Treasurer; Gardner Van Scoyoc, Reporter, and Bobby Sipes, Librarian.

For the first time in the history of the Glee Club, the boys and girls were combined with only one set of officers.

Miss Bittle is our new sponsor and through her efforts we have been exceedingly successful in our many activities. For instance, the Glee Club Christmas Dance was a brilliant success. We presented a Christmas program the last day before the Christmas vacation. We have planned our spring festival which will be held in May.

Because of the resignation of Marjorie Moshier and Charles Gordon, June Griffin and Pauline Sullivan were elected Secretary-Treasurer and Vice President, respectively.

We have learned to appreciate and use good music, and it is hoped that we will continue to profit by our membership in this club.

Virginia High

The Virginia High School League forensic and literary contest were important events in April.

The first to get underway and the one calling for the most effort on the part of the participants was the debate contest. In the winter Miss Schurb, debate coach, called a meeting of all those interested. Then the work began. Not only was much research necessary, but many hours were spent in practice. From the sixteen diligent workers two teams were finally chosen.

Members of the affirmative team were George Stauss, Richard Eney, and Alan Thompson. Joan Worley, Roland Brown and Catherine Crim made up the negative team. Roland and Catherine were old hands at the game, having been members of the team that won the state championship in 1947. The question this year was "*Resolved*: That the Federal Government Should Require Arbitration of Labor Disputes in All Basic American Industries."

Just before Easter vacation school eliminations were held for the reading, speaking, and spelling contests. Cynthia Edwards and Clinton Rivers were selected to represent the school in the prose reading contests. Jeanne Hootman took top honors in poetry reading.

Winners in the public-speaking contests were Irene Sawyer, who talked about the problems of a teen-age girl and Elmer Booth, who attempted to convince us that universal military training was not contrary to the American tradition.

Last, but certainly not least, for there was more competition here than in any other contest, was spelling. Nancy Lee Ball came in first by spelling correctly 99 of the 100 words given.

Debate Teams, Left to Right:
Negative—*Catherine Crim, Roland Brown, Joan Worley*
Affirmative—*George Stauss, Richard Eney, Alan Thompson*

School League

Speakers, Left to Right: *Irene Sawyer, Elmer Boothe, Nancy Ball, Miss Engleman, Sponsor*

Readers, Left to Right: *Cynthia Edwards, Clinton Rivers, Jeanne Hootman*

Debate Club, Seated Left to Right: *Bill Maple, Charles Acheson, Miss Schurb, Coach; Grace Haug, Joan Shepherd*

Second Row: *Lois Acheson, Nita Newville, Eula Turner, David Ditto, Irene Sawyer, Meriam Berrett*

Americana Quiz

Again this year Mount Vernon High School was represented on the Americana Quiz program, sponsored by the Wilkins-Rogers Milling Company, of Washington, D. C. Although this program was on the air for only half an hour the preparation required long hours of study and practice.

The school was to send a team of five members to the program to compete with a similar team from another high school in this area. Miss Whitt, who was responsible for seeing that Mount Vernon had a well-coached team, managed to find nine students who agreed to study American history in hopes of getting on the radio program. This group of nine included Ila Jane Bennett, Elmer Booth, Cynthia Edwards, Jeanne Hootman, Anne McDonald, Phyllis McInturff, Beverly Reller, George Stauss and Gardner Van Scoyoc. These students met once a week and at this time Miss Whitt quizzed them and kept each person's score. The members of the Civics class also contributed some questions which very often stumped the nine students who were supposed to know all about American history.

Mount Vernon was scheduled to appear on the program on December 13 and as that day drew near, Miss Whitt was faced with the problem of choosing five out of the nine students.

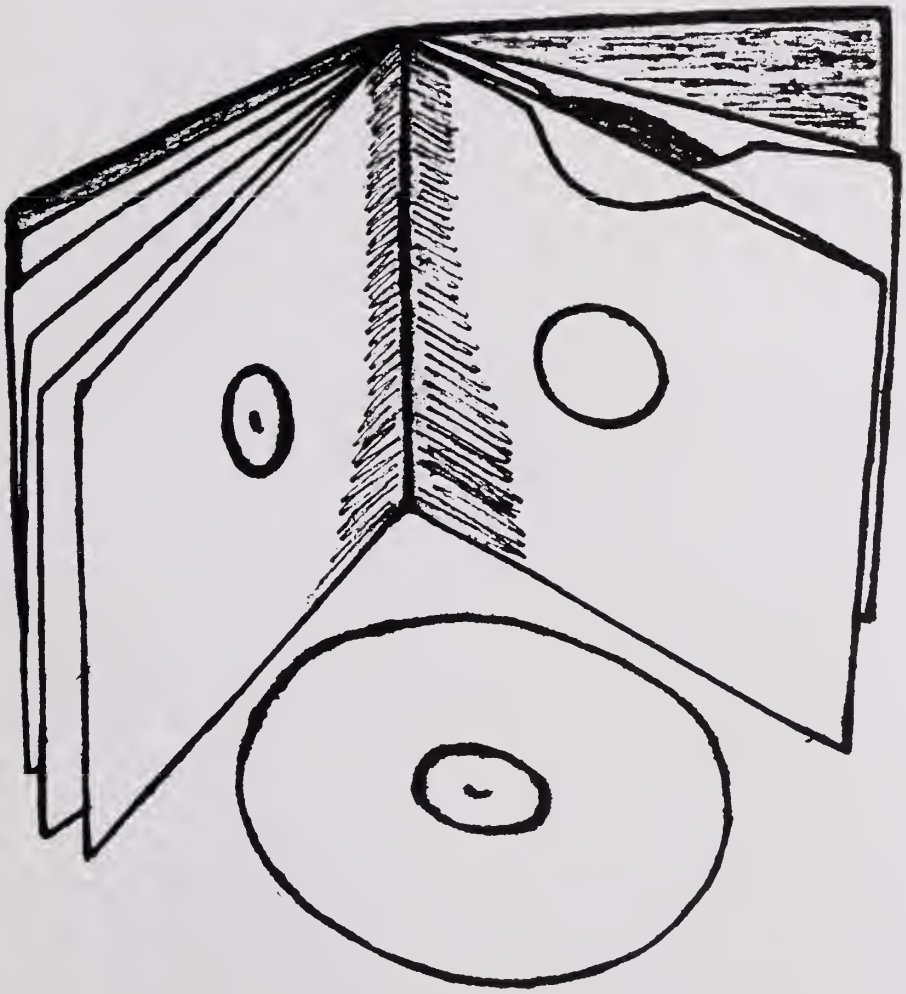
It was a difficult decision to make but the final team was composed of Ila Jane Bennett, Jeanne Hootman, Anne McDonald, Beverly Reller, and Gardner Van Scoyoc.

When these five arrived at the studio they met their opponents for the evening, the team from Fairfax High School. Mr. Edward Boykin, who originated and conducted the program explained the method of scoring and gave both teams a "pep talk."

There were hard questions and easy ones; the battle was fast and furious but when it was all over, Fairfax came out on top, a few points ahead of the Mount Vernon team. Even though they didn't win, they made a good showing and it was an experience which everyone on the team will long remember.

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *Beverly Reller, Jeanne Hootman, George Stauss, Cynthia Edwards, Elmer Boothe, Anne McDonald, Phyllis McInturff, and Ila Jane Bennett.*
STANDING: *Gardner Van Scoyoc, Miss Whitt, sponsor.*

"Features"



School Mirror

Best Dancers

Joan Crabtree
Roland Brown

"To many a youth and many a maid
Dancing in the chequer'd shade."
Milton

Happiest

Marjorie Moshier
Thomas McCreary

"Laugh and the world laughs with you;
Weep, and you weep alone."
Wilcox

Most Athletic

Eula Turner
Charles George

"The great end of life is not knowledge,
But activity."
Huxley

Best Dressed

Betty Overly
Dinky Westbrook

"The sense of being well dressed gives
A feeling of inward tranquility."
English

Most Intelligent

Anne McDonald
George Stauss

"Knowledge is a treasure
But practice is the key to it."
Fuller

School Mirror

Most Likely to Succeed

PHYLLIS MCINTURFF
GARDNER VAN SCOYOC

"The stone that is rolling
Can gather no moss."

TUSSER

Most Popular

KATHRYN WEAVER
CHARLES GEORGE

"Popularity? It is glory's
small change."

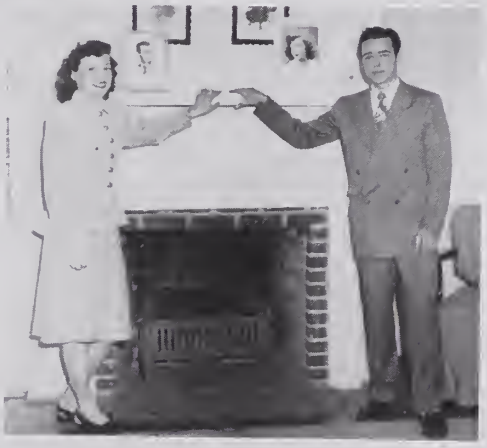
Victor Hugo

Best Looking

BETTY OVERLY
BILLY NORFOLK

"Cheerfulness and content
are great beautifiers,
And are famous preservers
of youthful looks."

Dickens



Most Dependable

ANNE MCDONALD
ROLAND BROWN

"There is often as much
independence in
Not being led as in not
being driven."

Edwards

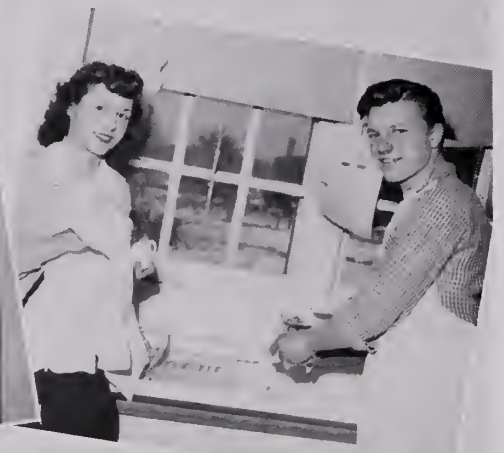
Quietest

SHIRLEY PEVERILL
NEWMAN SHIFFLETT

"In quietness and in confi-
dence
Shall be your strength."

The Old Testament

School Mirror



Wittiest

JOAN CRABTREE
WILLIAM YOUNG

"True wit is nature to advantage dressed,
What oft was thought, but ne'er so well expressed."

Pope

Best All Around

BETTY OVERLY
CHARLES GEORGE

"Live as if you expected to live a hundred years,
But might die tomorrow."

Ann Lee

Most Outstanding

KATHRYN WEAVER
GARDNER VAN SCOYOC

"Great minds have purposes,
Others have wishes."

Washington Irving

Most Artistic

DOLORES GRIMSLEY
NEWMAN SHIFFLETT

"A little amateur painting in water-colors
Shows the innocent and quiet mind."

Huxley

Laziest

ERNESTINE SIMPSON
PAGE THOMPSON

"To loaf is a science, to loaf is to live."

Balzac

School Mirror

Cockiest

Shirley Hastings
Dinky Westbrook

"No man can think well of himself
Who does not think well of others."

Author unknown

Cutest

Marjorie Moshier
Billy Norfolk

"One may live without bread,
Not without roses."

Author unknown

Most Musical

Edwina Moss
Bobby Sipes

"We are the music makers,
We are the dreamers of dreams."

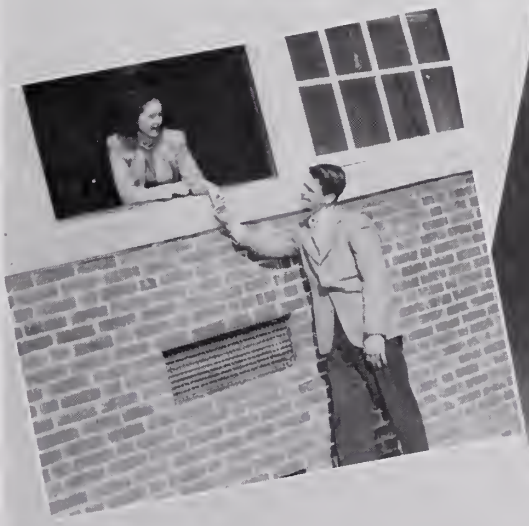
O'Shaughnessy

Biggest Flirt

Mildred Peters
Page Thompson

"Every woman is infallible to be gained by every sort of flattery, and every man, by one sort or other."

Stanhope



Most Original

Anne Dodd
Charles Thomas

"Without an original there can be no imitation."

Grossmith

Who's Who Among the Seniors

Gardner Van Scoyoc
Leadership

Kathryn Weaver
Personality

Charles George
Sportsmanship

Phyllis McInturff
Intelligence

Miss Mount Vernon

Betty Overly

School

Aileen Cook

Kathryn Weaver
Anne Dodd

Frances Scalise
Shirley Peverill

Beauties

Kathleen Cook

Marjorie Moshier
Jean Walker

Ruby McClary
Rose Marie Dwyer

Twins in School

Teachers

Mrs. Lenora L. Pingley Miss Kathleen Depue Mrs. Dessie P. Setzer

Students

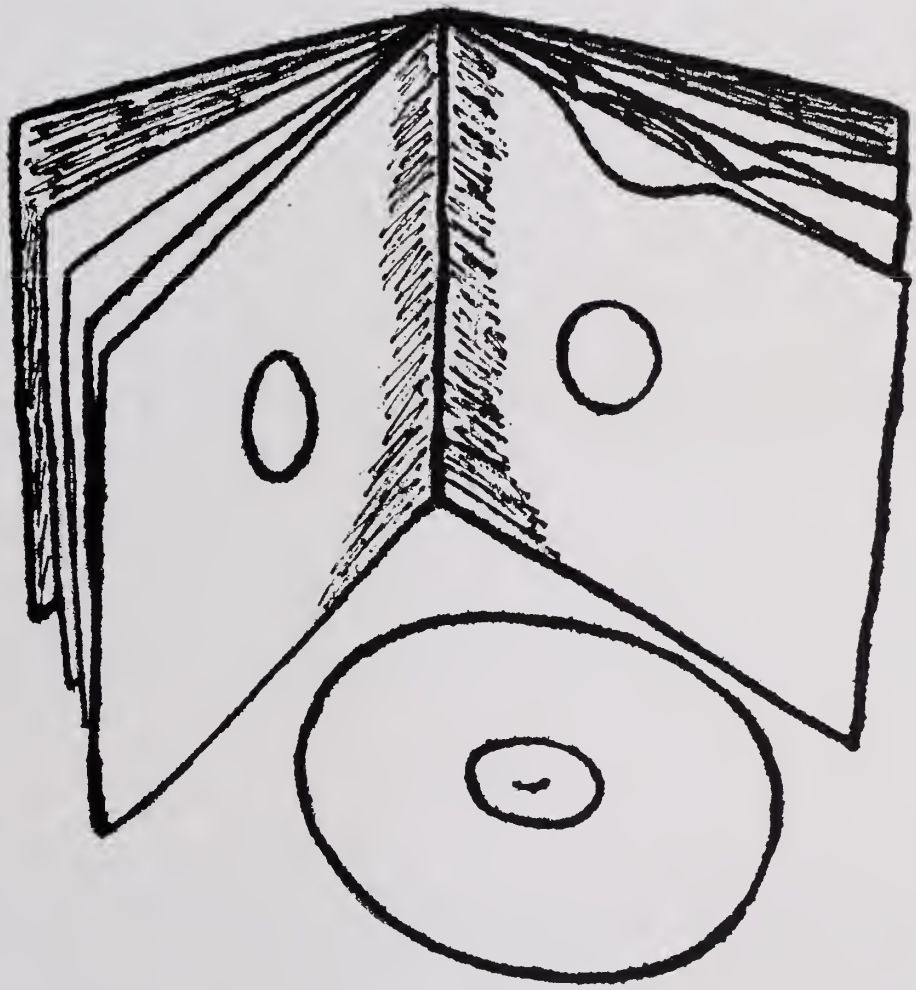
Betsy Beales
John Fletcher

Betty Beales
Joyce Fletcher

Joyce Scudder
Kathleen Cook

Janice Scudder
Aileen Cook

Athletics



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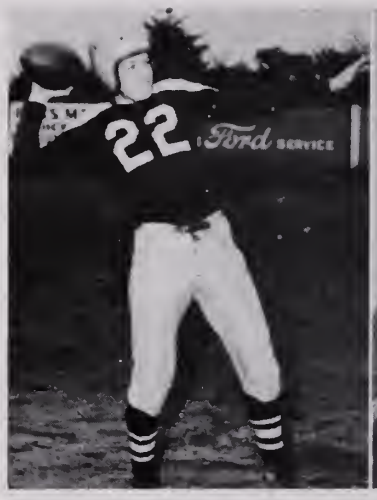
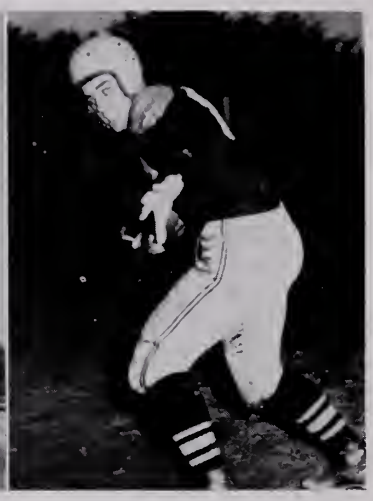


CHARLIE THOMAS, *Captain*

MR. LEE, *Coach*



KENNETH EVERRITT,
Most valuable player of 1947

Johnson's Instructions Bring Decrease in Injuries

In thinking over the past football season, we discovered one person who has received little, but deserves quite a bit of recognition, Mr. Sherman L. Johnson of Arlington, Virginia. He is a well-known first-aid instructor, player, and umpire, and has been thus in this vicinity for quite some time.

At the beginning of the past season he was appointed trainer of our football team. That is, he gave the players instructions on how to prevent injuries and how to take care of them if they should occur. It was his job to keep the boys physically fit and in shape for games. Mr. Johnson was very well qualified to keep the boys physically fit and in shape for games and in the conditioning work and treating of injuries. In years before Mt. Vernon has had quite a few serious injuries and many minor ones during the football season. This year there were few of either kind, and for this fact, we owe our thanks to Mr. Johnson. This has been the first year that Mt. Vernon has been fortunate enough to have a trainer and it is certainly hoped that he will be back again next season.

The coaches and players, as well as the school in general, would like to extend their sincere gratitude to Mr. Johnson for this wonderful job he performed this season which aided so greatly in the making of a successful team.

The Season

Mount Vernon, 13—Montgomery Jr. College, 21

Mount Vernon opened the season against a strong team of many former high school stars. The Maryland visitors took a 7-0 lead in the first period. It was a pass from Rolfe to Foley in the end zone. The point after was made by Smith, their captain. Mount Vernon came back with a pass from Hartman to Jenkins, who carried it over the goal. Then a pass from Duvall to Everritt was good for the point. That was the end of the scoring for the first half.

Three plays after the half Montgomery Jr. College moved to a 14-7 lead. Rolfe took the kick-off from his six to the Majors' twenty-five. Palmer carried it to the eighteen. Then Rolfe went over on a center plunge. In the third quarter, Palmer threw a twenty-eight yard pass to Bobbit for a touchdown. Smith kicked the point.

Everitt scored for Mount Vernon on an end run in the last quarter. That left the score; M. V. 13, M. J. C. 21.

Mount Vernon, 12—Gonzaga, 26

Mount Vernon's second game was with Gonzaga Prep of Washington. Gonzaga made their first touchdown in the first three minutes of play. Johnny Hogan took the ball over on a thirty-five yard reverse. The try for the extra point was no good. The score was still 6-0 at the end of the half.

On the kick-off at the beginning of the second half, Everritt raced eighty yards for a touchdown. The try for the extra point was no good, making the score 6-6. Buckingham made the second touchdown for Gonzaga on an end run. J. Hogan made the point. Gonzaga came back with another score after recovering a Mount Vernon fumble. D. Hogan carried it over. Mount Vernon came back with a pass from Hartman to Everritt, who ran thirty-five yards to pay dirt. Gonzaga came back again in the last period to score, making it 26-12 in their favor.

Mount Vernon, 0—Devitt Prep, 32

The Mount Vernon Majors met a powerful Devitt Prep team in their third game. Devitt got the first breaks by recovering a fumble on the kick-off. That set up the first touchdown. Baumgartmer made the score on a short

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FORTY-SEVEN

Squad

First Row, Seated, Left to Right: *S. Craig, W. Warren, M. Gordon, R. Flinchum, W. Young, L. Harley, E. Welch, E. West, G. Newville, L. Bunch, R. Hasle, H. Stevens, L. Rossie, R. Huntington, Q. Stover.*

Second Row, Standing: *H. Lee, Coach; H. Wheeler, Manager; C. Thomas, K. Everritt, D. Cook, P. Norfolk, R. Rogers, E. Alcorn, P. Nelson, E. Alcorn, D. Ditto, J. Stewart, J. Cathey, G. Cooper, J. Hughs, S. Scott, J. Rothrock; Assistant Coach.*

Third Row, Standing: *C. George, P. Thompson, W. Jenkins, E. Odenwalder, J. Shinault, R. Hogan, G. Van Scoyoc, R. Sapp, R. Brown, T. McCreary, B. Sparks, W. Norfolk, W. Hudson, E. Atkinson.*

Mr. Lee, *Coach* Charlie George, Most valuable player in Thanksgiving Game Mr. Landes, *Principal*

"Happy" Lee, *Mascot*

R. Waddell, H. Wheeler, L. Schwarz, K. Barnhill, *Managers*

THE MAJORS

1. Harold "Nose" Hartman, back; senior: weight, 175; 4 years. Expert pass slinger and high-spirited player. Captain of 1946 team and also selected for All High All Prep in 1946.

2. William "Tickey" Young, guard; senior: weight, 175; 3 years. A fast charger and a hard hitter. Keeps team pepped up and can always be relied on.

3. Kenneth "Kates" Everritt, back; junior: weight, 175, 2 years. A powerful runner; led state in scoring this year. Ran 80 yards on a kickoff against Gonzaga. Voted most valuable 1947 player by team mates.

4. Robert "Little Hoover" Sparks, back; Freshman: weight, 175; 2 years. Developed into a very good runner. Made many long gains during season. Expected to do even better next year.

5. William "Bee Bee" Warren, tackle; senior: weight, 204; 3 years. Heaviest man on squad. Great help in strength of the line.

6. Marvin "Pig" Gordon, guard; senior: weight, 163; 3 years. Great help in forward wall. Smart lineman, who kept his eye on the ball. Hard to keep out of opponents back field.

7. Charlie "Egg" Thomas, back; senior: weight, 158; 2 years. Smart signal caller. Helped in many games. Tossed final touchdown pass in Fairfax game. Captain of 1947 team.

8. John "Nose Junior" Cathey, back; senior: weight, 160; 3 years. Hard runner who always has his heart in the game. Made long gains against Falmouth.

9. Page "Tillie" Thompson, end; senior: weight, 160; 2 years. Proved to be an expert pass receiver. Caught several touchdown passes. Had honor of making last touchdown of the year in Fairfax game.

10. Willard "Lardie" Jenkins, back; senior: weight, 170; 3 years. Came through with long gains when needed most. Fast breaking runner who was hard to bring down.

11. Charlie "Gorgeous" George, center; senior: weight, 168; 3 years. Best line backer in these parts. Saved many games by his hard tackles. Voted as the most outstanding player in Fairfax game.

12. Shelton "Squirrel" Craig, end; junior: weight, 140; 2 years. Good pass receiver, who caught many touchdown passes. Hardest hitting player on team.

13. Earl "Sonnie" Alcorn, guard; senior: weight, 150; 2 years. A hard hitter who proved a big help in every game. Threw lots of teams for lost yardage. Was converted to a back in last couple of games.

14. Thomas "Mac" McCreary, tackle; senior: weight, 175; 3 years. Broke up many plays with his extra hard tackling. He is also a good pass receiver when moved to an end.

15. Paul "Punk" Nelson, back; senior: weight, 155; 1 year. Fast breaking runner. Good man on defense, suffered a sprained ankle which kept him out of two games.

16. Quincy "Bulldog" Stover, end; junior: weight, 150; 2 years. Good pass snagger. Majors are depending on him next year to come through. Likes football better than anyone in school.

17. Gordon "Hound" Cooper, guard; junior: weight, 148; 1 year. A good man to have on the line. Proved extra good on defense. Recovered a fumble behind the goal in Woodward Prep game.

18. Raymond "Reds" Huntington, back; senior: weight, 160; 3 years. Good blocker and always played hard. He proved good on defense in the Bullis game when he intercepted two passes.

19. Robert "Bob" Sapp, back; senior: weight 174; 1 year. Extraordinary kicker. Helped save some games by his long punts. He also was good on defense.

20. Robert "Flinch" Flinchum, back; senior: weight, 158; 3 years. Came through every game with high spirits. Good blocker and also very alert on defense.

21. David "Cookie" Cooke, tackle; junior: weight, 165; 1 year. Hard player who stopped many plays at scrimmage line. Played first time in Montgomery Junior College game. Good prospect for next year.

22. James "Boogie" Shinault, back; sophomore: weight, 140; 1 year. Although light he broke loose for many gains. Will be better next year. Made a lot of good runs in Devitt game.

23. William "Billy" Norfolk, back; senior: weight, 145; 2 years. Although he started late in the season he got into shape very quick. He proved to be a help many times because of his speed. Made several long gains in N. T. S. game.

24. Paul "Jet" Norfolk, back; freshman: weight, 125; 2 years. Good broken field runner. Signal caller and passer for the J. V. Expecting to improve more next year.

25. Louis "Flossie" Rossie, center; freshman: weight, 175; 2 years. Has improved very much through the year. Proved to be helpful when needed. Learned many things that will be helpful next year.

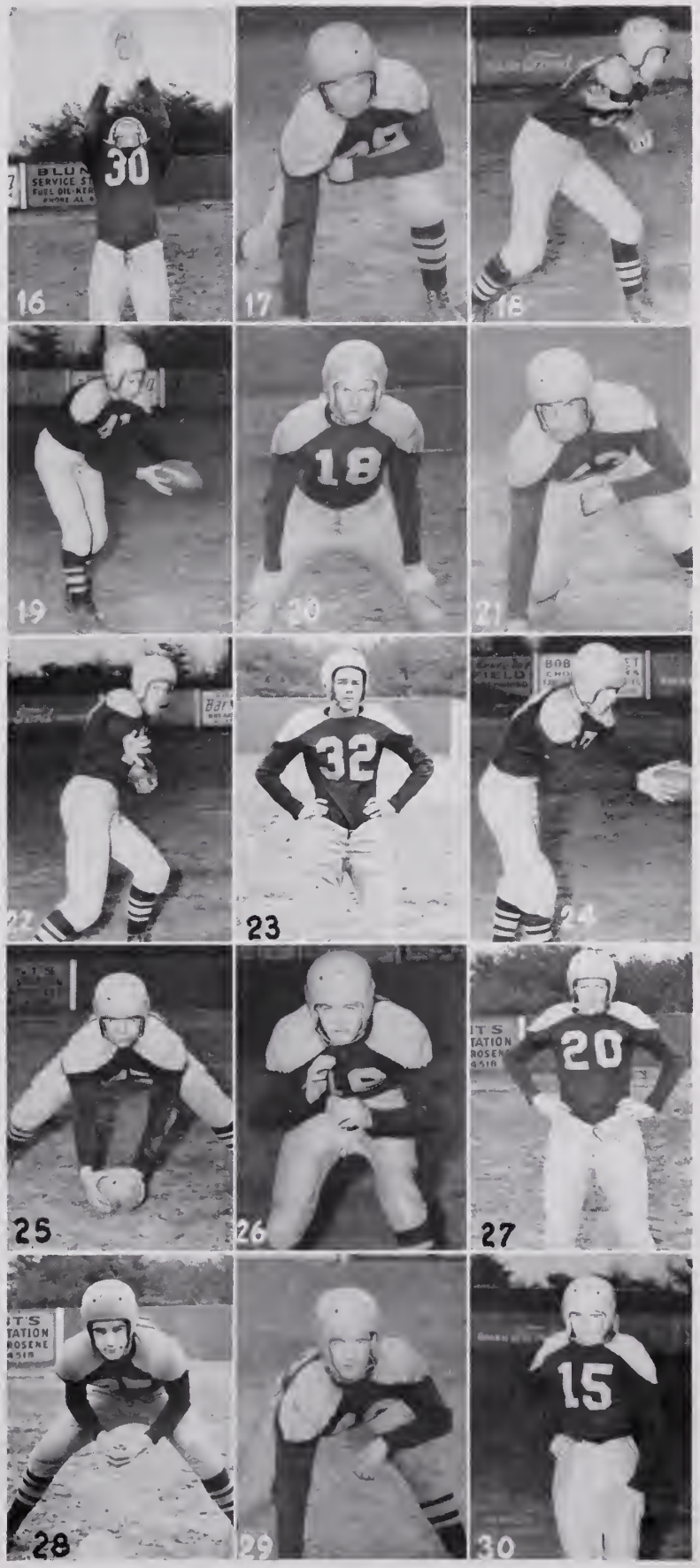
26. Herbert "Herb" Stevens, tackle; senior: weight, 145; 3 years. He never missed a day of practice and could always be counted on to give his best.

27. Roland "Brownie" Brown, tackle; senior: weight, 180; 1 year. Because of his size he proved to be a big help. He knew how to use his weight and was hard to move.

28. Gardner "Van" Van Scoyoc, center; senior: weight, 155; 1 year. Good player and could be depended upon at any time.

29. Richard "Buddy" Rogers, guard; senior: weight, 135; 2 years. Put his heart in the game.

30. Louis Harley, back; junior: weight, 130; 1 year. Diligent, always out for practice. Dependable.



The Season

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run. The line of the Majors proved strong and forced Devitt to pass. Three more touchdowns were made on passes from Baumgartmer, Beck, and Taylor. Everritt got off a few good runs for the Majors.

Mount Vernon, 7—George Washington, 31

The Majors dropped a hard-fought game to the Presidents. We were held scoreless the first quarter. Hanna made the first touchdown in the second period. The second score was made on a pass from Fones to Via. That left the score 12-0 at the half, favor of George Washington.

Hanna carried the ball over for another George Washington Touchdown in the third quarter. Fones kicked the point making it 19-0. Potts made another touchdown for George Washington on a reverse. The try for the extra point was no good. Mount Vernon came back in the last period to score. Hartman took it over on an end run. Duvall passed to Thompson for the point. That left the score 25-7 in favor of George Washington. Fones made the last score for George Washington on an end run. His try for the point was no good. That left the ball game in a 31-7 victory for the Presidents.

Mount Vernon, 6—Falls Church, 0

Mount Vernon came out of the rut by beating Falls Church in their fifth game. The game was 0-0 dead lock for three quarters. The pay-off drive came after Everritt returned a punt to the Falls Church 48. Jenkins picked up five. Everritt ran to the 33 after taking a pass from Hartman. He tried to pass again but was bottled up. He then shot one to Thompson on the 26, but it was short of a first down.

Falls Church took over the ball but they could not move anywhere. They were penalized half the distance of the goal after three running plays had failed. Then Hartman passed one to Thompson for the six points. The try for the extra point failed. The game ended with Mount Vernon on top 6-0.

Mount Vernon, 0—Fredericksburg, 13

The James Monroe High School team of Fredericksburg defeated the Majors by a score of 13-0 on October 17. The Majors left Mount Vernon High School at 2:30 and arrived at Fredericksburg late in the afternoon. They dressed at the Queen Anne Hotel after eating at a cafe.

The game was very rough and many penalties were given. Mount Vernon got three 15-yard penalties in a row. In the first half, Fredericksburg scored on a long pass into the end zone. On almost the same play they scored in the second half. One conversion was made.

This was the second league game of the season. In the first league game, the Majors defeated Falls Church.

The Season

Mount Vernon, 25—Montgomery Blair, 0

The Majors got even with Blair for the game last year. Kenny Everritt made two touchdowns in the first three minutes of the game. He raced 38 yards off tackle for the first one. Then on the kick-off after the touchdown, Blair fumbled and a Major lineman recovered. They marched down to the three-yard line, when Everritt again took the ball over. There were no more points until the last period. Everritt carried the ball over on a short plunge. The last touchdown was set up by two passes from Hartman; "Lardie" Jenkins made the score on a 6-yard line buck.

It was the first game the Majors played after shifting into the single wing and Coach Lee was well pleased.

Mount Vernon, 58—Bullis High, 13

The third victory of the Majors was over Bullis High by an amazing score of 58-13. Kenneth led the scoring role by chalking up six touchdowns. Quincy Stover, Shelton Craig, and "Egg" Thomas each made six points. Bob Sapp kicked four placements for extra points.

On the very first play from scrimmage Kenneth Everritt ran thirty-eight yards off tackle for the first six points. Sapp's kick was good. After forcing Bullis to kick, Everritt again went over, this time from the 40. Sapp's kick was good again.

Shelton Craig ran 45 yards on an end around for the third touchdown. Sapp's kick was good again.

In the second period "Egg" Thomas ran 30 yards on a reverse for six more points. Everritt came back with another score on a 25-yard run. Sapp then kicked his fourth point.

Everitt scored for the fourth time on a thirty-yard end run. This left the score at the half 40-0.

The second half was not as fast as the first. Everritt scored twice more and Quincy Stover made six points on an end around. Bullis was allowed 13 points in the last half.

Mount Vernon, 24—Falmouth, 6

The Majors took another trip to Fredericksburg, where they played Falmouth. Everritt made one touchdown, Hartman made two, and Jenkins made one. Falmouth scored in the last few minutes of play.

Junior Varsity

Left to Right, Sitting: *Paul Norfolk, James Shinault, Gene Newville, Billy Hughes, Raymond Huntington, Jeffrey Stewart Leonard Bunch.*

First Row, Left to Right, Standing: *Eddie Welch, James Conkey, Herbert Stevens, Louis Rossie, Gordon Cooper, David* Ditto, Buddy Everly.

Second Row, Left to Right, Standing: *Sonny Scott, Carl Hasle, Louis Harley, Robert Hogan, Paul Nelson, Everett Alcorn.*

The Season

Mount Vernon, 33—Manassas, 6

The Majors swamped the Manassas team on a muddy field. Shelton Craig made one touchdown, Jenkins one, Everritt made two, and there was also one more made. Sapp kicked three points.

Mount Vernon, 44—Woodward, Prep 6

In the first minutes of the game Everritt, Thomas, and Sparks drove 60 yards down field. Everritt scored on a six yard end run and Sapp booted the point. Everitt made the second score after another sixty-yard drive. Gordon "Hound" Cooper made the third touchdown by recovering a fumble behind the goal. Woodward came back in the second period after a seventy-yard march. Thompson made their touchdown. Earl Alcorn intercepted a pass on the five-yard line and stepped over for another Mount Vernon score.

In the third period, Shelton Craig recovered another fumble in the end zone for a touchdown. The last two touchdowns were made by Odenwalder and Everritt. Odenwalder intercepted a pass and ran thirty-five yards for the score. Everritt made his on another off tackle run.

Mount Vernon, 32—National Training School, 0

Hartman's passes accounted for three Major touchdowns. Kenny Everritt scored 12 points. It was the Majors' sixth straight win. In the first quarter Everritt scored on an off tackle play. Page Thompson kicked the point. In the same period Thompson took a 35-yard pass from Hartman and ran twenty more yards for the tally.

In the second period Hartman slung a 40-yard pass that was snagged on the 15 and carried over by Thompson. There were no scores in the third period. Billy Norfolk took the ball on a reverse and went for forty yards. He was stopped on the one-yard line. A couple of plays later he carried it over for six points. In the same period Everritt scored two more touchdowns, but only one counted. The other was called back for holding. He made the last one with a pass from Hartman to the thirty-five yard line where Everritt carried it the rest of the way. Some of the outstanding players for Mount Vernon were: Everritt, Hartman, Thompson, Jenkins, Sparks, Young, Warren and Gordon.

Lightweight Squad

First Row, Seated: *D. Facchina, J. Johnson, R. Crump, D. Priddy, W. Bryant, W. Coon, D. Viar.*

Second Row, Seated: *W. Steuke, J. Wright, J. Maxey, B. Eldert, B. Hanekamp, B. Stover, D. Penn, J. Rose.*

Third Row, Standing: *Coach Rothrock, W. Morgan, P. Roberts, A. Roberts, R. Solot, J. Davis, V. Havener, T. Singleton, W. Jacobs, B. Jenkins, J. Darr, Assistant Coach C. Gordon.*

Fourth Row, Seated: *Manager H. Wheeler, C. Chinn, H. Norton, B. McGraw, C. Ray, T. Ayres, L. Fiels, C. Sanborn, H. Talbott, J. Blunt.*

Missing: *C. Meahl, Assistant Coach.*

The Season

Mount Vernon, 20—Fairfax, 15

It was a hard-fought game all the way. The Majors won on the very last play of the game. It was the second Thanksgiving Day game between the two teams. Fairfax led at the half 2-0. End Jimmy Gleason tackled Everritt in the end zone for the only two points of the half. In the third period Warren recovered a F. H. S. fumble on the forty-yard line and the Majors marched to the one yard line. There they were held for downs. Fones punted to the forty-four, where Mount Vernon took over the ball.

They then drove fifty-six yards for the score. Everritt picked up fifteen off tackle, Hartman chucked thirty-five yards to McCreary and then Everritt went over on an off tackle play. Thompson booted the extra point. Then Fairfax came back for a touchdown. They drove sixty yards to score. There were two passes from Roseberry to Fones, another pass to Tomlinson, and then Garner went over. Fones converted and Fairfax again lead 9-7.

Jenkins intercepted a Fairfax pass and after a clipping penalty the Majors moved seventy yards for another score. There was a pass to Thompson, Sparks picked up five, and then Everritt ran thirty yards to the tally. On the next play Everritt went over. The kick was blocked. The Majors then led 13-9.

Jim Garner of Fairfax took the kick-off and ran seventy yards for a F. H. S. touchdown. It was the best run of the game. Fones missed the point. Fairfax again led 15-13. "Egg" Thomas chucked the winning touchdown pass to Thompson as the game ended.

Center Charlie George was awarded the annual Stuart Saffelle trophy for being the outstanding player for the Majors. There was no doubt in anyone's mind about the awarding of the trophy for George was a sensation on defense, as a line blocker.

M. V. H.	0	0	7	13	20
F. H. S.	2	0	7	6	15

Girls' Basketball

Front Row, Left to Right: *W. Mitchum, B. Overly, E. Cook, R. Dwyer, L. Painter, E. Yowell, D. Judy, E. Turner.*
Second Row, Left to Right: *P. Roberts, K. Fleenor, M. Flinchum, M. Schroer, A. Riley, S. Hastings, E. Moss.*

Although the Majorettes were handicapped due to the lack of facilities, they had a most successful season; having 13 wins, four losses and one tie.

Other than the school league, the Majorettes played in the Alexandria League. Although they completed against much more experienced players, they still came out third in the league.

Miss Prince, *Assistant*
Nancy O'Flaherty, *Manager*

Miss Waid, *Coach*

Margaret Flinchum
Guard

Elizabeth Yowell
Guard

Jean Alcock
Bobby Cahoon
Roxanne Dachiler

Kent Fleenor
Guard

Alice Riley
Guard

1948 Schedule and Scores

SCHOOL LEAGUE

Date	*Home Team*	*Score*	*Opponent*	*Score*
January 16	Mount Vernon	27	Falls Church	10
January 20	Mount Vernon	24	James Monroe	23
January 27	Mount Vernon	19	Falls Church	7
January 30	Mount Vernon	15	James Monroe	30
February 13	Mount Vernon	40	Occoquan	29
February 17	Mount Vernon	21	Manassas	21
February 24	Mount Vernon	26	Manassas	13
February 26	Mount Vernon	21	Fairfax	11
March 2	Mount Vernon	20	Fairfax	12
March 8	Mount Vernon	28	Fairfax (Tour.)	13
March 9	Mount Vernon	23	Herndon (Tour.)	25

ALEXANDRIA LEAGUE

Date	*Home Team*	*Score*	*Opponent*	*Score*
January 5	Mount Vernon	12	Lyles	29
January 12	Mount Vernon	17	G. A. A.	10
January 19	Mount Vernon	12	Gypsies	31
January 20	Mount Vernon	35	Lyles	24
February 2	Mount Vernon	32	G. A. A.	21
February 9	Mount Vernon	26	Gypsies	31
February 16	Mount Vernon	16	Lyles	21
February 23	Mount Vernon	39	G. A. A.	28
March 1	Mount Vernon	29	Gypsies	26

Betty Overly
Forward

Edwina Moss
Forward

Eula Turner
Forward

Marie Schroer
Forward

Rose Marie Dwyer
Forward

Boys' Basketball

Varsity

Front Row, Left to Right: *D. Cook, L. Watson, R. Harding, L. Hutchinson.*

Back Row, Left to Right: *R. Sapp, T. McCreary, C. Hall, E. Odenwalder, L. Hoffeditz*

Jr. High

Front Row, Left to Right: *B. Jenkins, R. Waddell, R. Kaufman, R. C. Harris.*

Back Row, Left to Right: *B. Petitt, C. Atkinson, L. Rossie, J. Beasely, L. Bunch.*

Jr. Varsity

Front Row, Left to Right: *J. Shinault, J. Beasely, B. Petitt.*

Back Row, Left to Right: *J. Markley, T. McAuliffe, W. Warren, H. Wheeler, L. Rossie.*

LESTER WATSON
Guard

ROBERT HARDING
Guard

THOMAS MCCREARY
Forward

LARRY HOFFIDITZ
Forward

EDGAR ODENWALDER
Center

1948 Schedule and Scores

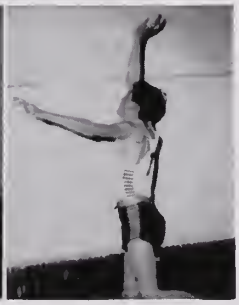
Date	*Home Team*	*Score*	*Opponent*	*Score*
January 9	Mount Vernon	26	Falmouth	42
January 16	Mount Vernon	40	Falls Church	28
January 20	Mount Vernon	38	Fredericksburg	25
January 21	Mount Vernon	37	Devitt	41
January 27	Mount Vernon	38	Falls Church	29
January 30	Mount Vernon	28	Fredericksburg	35
February 3	Mount Vernon	34	Central	80
February 4	Mount Vernon	48	Falmouth	42
February 5	Mount Vernon	27	Devitt Prep	26
February 6	Mount Vernon	34	Gonzaga	55
February 10	Mount Vernon	45	Fairfax	33
February 13	Mount Vernon	30	Occoquan	29
February 17	Mount Vernon	34	Manassas	21
February 20	Mount Vernon	35	Gonzaga	49
February 24	Mount Vernon	35	Manassas	21
February 27	Mount Vernon	32	George Washington	78
March 9	Mount Vernon	39	Herndon (Tour.)	32
March 10	Mount Vernon	46	Fairfax (Tour.)	49

DAVID COOK
Guard

ROBERT SAPP
Forward

RAY GODFREY, *Manager*
MR. ROTHROCK, *Coach*

LEON HUTCHESON
Forward



CARTER HALL
Forward

Monogram Club

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *Mr. Lee, G. Van Scoyoc, M. Moshier, T. McCreary, B. Overly, C. Thomas, J. Frinks, H. Stevens, D. Weaver, B. Rogers, R. Dwyer, B. Flinchum, K. Fleenor, B. Sapp, A. Cook, B. Warren, E. Turner, D. Cook, Miss Waid.*

FIRST ROW, STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: *L. Harley, J. Crabtree, E. Odenwalder, S. Hastings, J. Phillips, B. Crump, K. Weaver, H. Hartman, A. Dodd, W. Jenkins, J. Tucker, R. Brown, A. Riley, J. Cathey, K. Cook, H. Wheeler.*

SECOND ROW, STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: *E. Alcorn, B. Norfolk, P. Norfolk, S. Craig, W. Young, L. Rossie, C. George, E. Moss, P. Thompson, R. Morris, R. Wadell, G. Cooper, N. Shifflett, Q. Stover, K. Everritt, B. Sparks, J. Shinault, R. Huntington.*

In 1946 the Monogram Club was organized. At first, the membership was restricted to persons holding two or more athletic letters. It was changed later so that a person holding one athletic letter was eligible for membership. A committee was appointed and drew up a constitution by which the members must abide.

The purpose of this Club is to bring the holders of athletic awards closer together to further a general desire; this desire being to promote further the ideals of fairness, good sportsmanship and the ability to lose or win with a grin.

This Club is not for boys exclusively but girls holding one or more athletic letters are eligible to join. Persons holding two or more letters are eligible to take part in the voting activities.

Cheerleaders

1. Kathryn Weaver
"*Kitty*"
Co-Captain
Two years on squad

2. Jeverna Tucker
"*Jeverna*"
One year on squad
Basketball cheerleader

3. Jean Frinks
"*Jeanne*"
Secretary and Treasurer
Two years on squad

4. Kathleen Cook
"*Kitty*"
One year on squad

5. Rose Marie Dwyer
"*Rosie*"
One year on squad

6. Anne Dodd
"*Anne*"
One year on squad

7. James Phillips
"*James*"
One year on squad
Basketball cheerleader

8. Betty Overly
"*Betty*"
One year on squad

9. Shirley Hastings
"*S. H.*"
One year on squad

10. Dorothy Weaver
"*Dot*"
One year on squad
Basketball Cheerleader

11. Joan Crabtree
"*Jo*"
One year on squad

12. Aileen Cook
"*Cookie*"
One year on squad

13. Marjorie Moshier
"*Margie*"
Captain
Three years on squad

Baseball

VARSITY SQUAD

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *B. Flinchum, E. Davis, D. Cooke, N. Shifflett, B. Crump, T. McCreary, P. Thompson, P. Norfolk, C. Young, L. Harley.*

STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: *Mr. Lee, Coach; S. Craig, K. Everritt, M. Gordon, J. Cathey, R. Sapp, C. Thomas, W. Jacobs, C. Clark, R. Huntington.*

VAN SCOYOC
Scorekeeper
Keeps us Posted

Managers
BEACH
MORRIS
BRADEL

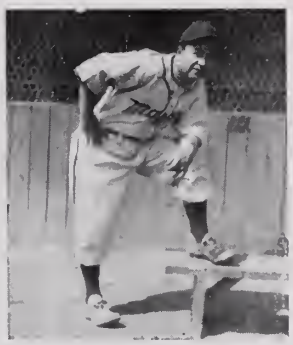
Before the Game

Our Pitchers

Outfielders

Seniors

1. Craig
2. Harley
3. Shifflett
4. Sapp
5. Cathey
6. Flinchum



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7. McCreary
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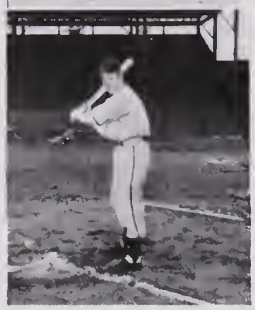

1948 Schedule

Date	*Home Team*	*Score*	*Opponent*	*Score*
April 2	Mount Vernon High	—	Landon	—
April 6	Mount Vernon High	—	Manassas	—
April 7	Mount Vernon High	—	Wilson	—
April 9	Mount Vernon High	—	Anacostia	—
April 16	Mount Vernon High	—	Falls Church	—
April 19	Mount Vernon High	—	Spotsylvania	—
April 20	Mount Vernon High	—	George Washington	—
April 21	Mount Vernon High	—	Eastern	—
April 23	Mount Vernon High	10	Woodward Prep	3
April 26	Mount Vernon High	34	Roosevelt	3
April 27	Mount Vernon High	1	Fairfax	0
April 28	Mount Vernon High	4	Culpeper	1
April 30	Mount Vernon High	37	Devitt	12
May 1	Mount Vernon High	—	Falmouth	—
May 3	Mount Vernon High	4	Falmouth	3
May 4	Mount Vernon High	—	Fredericksburg	—
May 5	Mount Vernon High	12	Falls Church	3
May 7	Mount Vernon High	—	Washington and Lee	—
May 8	Mount Vernon High	13	Eastern	3
May 10	Mount Vernon High	8	Spotsylvania	1
May 11	Mount Vernon High	0	George Washington	5
May 14	Mount Vernon High	—	Fairfax	—
May 15	Mount Vernon High	—	Woodward Prep	—
May 17	Mount Vernon High	—	Central	—
May 18	Mount Vernon High	—	Culpeper	—
May 19	Mount Vernon High	—	Fredericksburg	—
May 21	Mount Vernon High	—	Glen Allen	—
May 22	Mount Vernon High	—	Manassas	—
May 25	Mount Vernon High	—	Glen Allen	—
May 26	Mount Vernon High	—	Occoquan	—
May 28	Mount Vernon High	—	Washington and Lee	—
May 29	Mount Vernon High	—	Gonzaga	—
June 2	Mount Vernon High	—	Devitt	—
June 4	Mount Vernon High	—	Gonzaga	—

Junior Varsity

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *R. Thomas, E. Atkinson, L. Rossie, W. Sullivan, J. Miller, L. Bunch, T. Quigley, P. Doughton, W. Steucke, G. Newville.*

STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: *S. Godfrey, H. Otis, I. Otis, F. Levay, G. Stauss, W. Hudson, E. Alcorn, R. Solot.*

Eighth Grade Team

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *L. Dodd, J. Davis, J. Satterwhite, H. Norton, D. Facchina, E. Darr, D. Violette, D. Penn, E. Monroe, A. Dawson, J. Blunt, R. Palmer.*

STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: *H. Magner, R. Warwick, R. Crump, J. Wright, D. Viar, L. Fiel, J. Darr, C. Winterwerp, J. Shifflett, J. Bender, T. Ayers, J. Woodard, B. Jenkins, J. Miller.*

Girls' Softball

SEATED, LEFT TO RIGHT: *M. Bollinger, D. Giles, A. Riley, K. Fleenor, R. Dwyer, M. Flinchum, B. Overly, E. Turner.*

STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: *L. Bungard, E. Regan, D. Gentilini, J. Woodward, L. Malpass, B. Maxey, J. Leisner, P. Pipkins.*

GIRLS' SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	*Opponent*	*Time*	*Place*	*Date*	*Opponent*	*Time*	*Place*
April 6	Manassas	1:30	Home	May 7	W. L.	3:30	Home
April 9	G. W. A. A.	3:45	There	May 11	Falls Church	3:30	There
April 21	Falls Church	4:00	Home	May 14	Fairfax	2:30	Home
April 23	W. L.	3:30	There	May 18	Culpeper	2:00	Home
April 28	Culpeper	3:15	There	May 21	G. W. A. A.	3:30	Home
April 30	Fairfax	2:00	There	May 22	Manassas	6:30	There
May 1	Falmouth	6:00	Home	May 26	Occoquan	6:45	Home
May 3	Falmouth	6:00	There				

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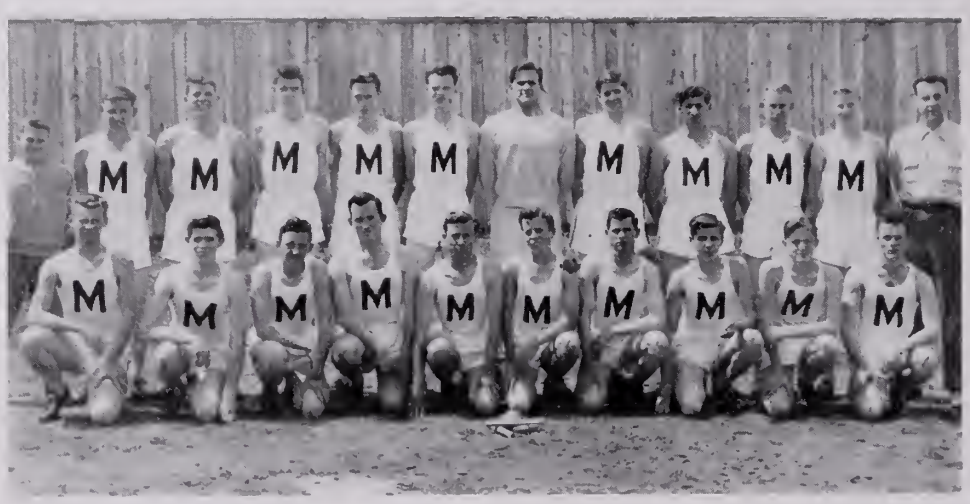
Coach

J. ALCOCK
N. O'FLAHERTY
J. GRIFFIN
S. HASTINGS
Managers

Track



Front Row, Left to Right: *E. Alcorn, H. Stevens, J. Shinault, R. Hogan, E. Coffey, O. Beasley, H. Otis, J. Markley, J. Conkey, B. Norfolk.*
Second Row, Left to Right: *D. Kaufman, Manager; G. Cooper, B. Sparks, H. Wheeler, T. McAuliffe, E. Odenwalder, B. Warren, J. Darr, H. Hartman, R. Harding, E. Booth, Mr. Rothrock, Coach.*

TRACK SCHEDULE

April 22—Falls Church—Mt. Vernon—G. W. (J. V.) at G. W.
April 30—District Class B Meet at Woodberry Forest
May 6—Falls Church—Mt. Vernon—Episcopal (J. V.) at Episcopal
May 7 and 8—Metropolitan Meet at Wilson
May 11—W. & L.—Fairfax—Episcopal—Mt. Vernon at G. W.
May 28—Mt. Vernon—Fairfax at Fairfax

Harold Hartman
100-Yard Dash

Bob Sparks
Shot Put

RELAY TEAM
Left to Right: *B. Norfolk, B. Sparks, E. Odenwalder, H. Hartman, G. Cooper, J. Shinault*

Senior Directory

Earl August Alcorn, Jr.—*Sonny*—Route No. 4 Box 253, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Football and Hunting. Ambition: To get rich by not working hard. Monogram Club, 2 years; Varsity Football, 3 years; Weight Team, 1 year; J. V. Baseball, 2 years.

Jean Kathleen Allen—*Jeanie*—15 Bell View Avenue, Fairhaven, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing and Ice Skating. Ambition: Private Nurse. Glee Club, 2 years; Home Ec, 2 years.

Roger Hugh Anderson—*Roger*—U-65-D Gray's Hill Village, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Hobby: Hunting and Fishing. Ambition: To be an architect and also go to the R. I. T.

Thomas Weslie Barrington—*Tommy*—Route No 1, Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Loving. Ambition: Get married and have 12 kids. Football, 1 year; Substitute Bus Driver, 1 year.

Doris Lee Bell—*Dottie*—Route No. 5, Box 78, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Johnny. Ambition: To be a good secretary. Pep Squad, 1 year.

Ila Jane Bennett—*Liza Jane*—Box 115, King's Highway, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing. Ambition: School Teacher. Library Club, 2 years; Home Ec Club, 1 year; Paper Staff, 1 year; Pep Squad, 1 year.

Joseph Franklin Bollinger—*Dinky*—Route No. 5, Box 284, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Belonging to the Franconia Fire Dept. Ambition: Try to do anything that comes before me. Science Club, 1 year; Baseball, 4 years.

Virginia Lee Bomkamp—*Ginny*—U-11-B, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Hobby: Oil Painting. Ambition: To learn to mind my own business.

Elmer Welcome Booth, Jr.—*Booth*—Route No. 4, Box 196, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Reading all war and military books. Ambition: To be a man. Public Speaking Club, 1 year; Football, 1 year, Key Club, 1 year; Treasurer of Key Club.

Benjamine Isaach Bowers—*Isaach*—Route No. 4, Box 311, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Eating and Sleeping. Ambition: Brick Layer.

Roland Harry Brown—*Brownie*—Route No. 5, Box 395, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Collecting Foreign Money. Ambition: To become a successful lawyer. Public Speaking Club, 2 years, President, 1 year; Paper Staff, 2 years, Feature Editor, 1 year; Yearbook Staff, 2 years, Editor, 1 year; Debate Team, 3 years, State Champion, 1 year; Football, 1 year; Key Club, 1 year, President, 1 year; Pep Squad, 2 years; Bus Driver, 1 year; Prom Committee, 1 year; Quill & Scroll, 1 year; Monogram Club, 1 year.

Earl Reginal Carneal—*Giggale*—P. O. Box 814, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Eating Nails. Ambition: To become an electrical engineer.

John Beverly Welford Cathey—*Nose Jr.*—Route No. 5, Box 452, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Baseball, football and sleeping. Ambition: Doctor. Baseball, 4 years; football, 1 year; science club, 2 years; Glee club, 2 years; football manager, 1 year; public speaking club, 1 year; monogram club, 2 years; student government, 1 year; pep squad, 1 year; S. P. T. A., 1 year.

Carl Ivan Clark—*Skinny*—Route No. 1, Box 512, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Sleeping. Ambition: To be a millionaire.

Doris Anna Clem—*Doris*—Route No. 4, Box 560, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Collecting '47 Buicks. Ambition: Get out of school. Glee Club, 1 year; Home Ec. Club, 2 years; Pep Squad, 2 years.

Earl Jackson Coffey—*Squirrel*—2808 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Motorcycle Riding. Ambition: Minister. Glee Club, 1 year.

Robert Walter Collins—*Bobby*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Photography. Ambition: Studying photography in College. Art Club, 1 year; Patrols, 1 year.

Aileen Cook—*Cookie*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Going to good movies. Ambition: To see the world. Glee Club, 3 years, treasurer, 1 year; President of the sophomore class; member of the honor society, 2 years; Cheerleader, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

Kathleen Cook—*Kitty*—Lorton Virginia. Hobby: Listening to popular music. Ambition: to become a secretary. Student Government, 1 year; Glee Club, 2 years; Art Club, 1 year; President of junior class; Secretary of sophomore class; member of honor society 2 years; Cheerleader, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

Catherine Katrina Crawford—*Katy*—2446 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Skating. Ambition: To be the world's best comedian. Glee Club, 2 years.

George Washington Creed—*Smilie*—Route No. 2, Seminary Road, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Movies and Baseball. Ambition: Machinist. Art Club, 1 year, treasurer.

Catherine Isabelle Crim—*Kitty*—Wellington Villa, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Fashion Illustration, Swimming, Modeling. Ambition: To marry a millionaire and have four little play boys. Art Club, 1 year; Public Speaking Club, 4 years; debate, 4 years; state champion 1 year; student government 3 years, national honor society, 2 years.

Robert Clinton Crump—*Crump*—Route No. 1, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Don't have time for one. Ambition: Professional Baseball. Paper Staff, 2 years, Football, 1 year; Baseball, 5 years.

Harry Eugene Darr—*Billy*—Route No. 4, Box 107-C, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Carving. Ambition: None. Science Club, 1 year, president; President of Wood Carving; Sergeant-at-arms.

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Helen Mae Davis—*Helen*—Route No. 1, Box 458, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Skating. Ambition: To become a good skater. Glee Club, 1 year; Girl Scouts, 3 years, Secretary.

Vilma Delores Davis—*Varmin*—Route No. 5, Box 474, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Memorizing Poetry. Ambition: Typist and Housewife.

Joetta Virginia Dawson—*Jo*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing. Ambition: Lawyer's Secretary. Glee Club 3 years; Pep Squad, 3 years; S. P. T. A., 1 year; Patrols, 1 year; Business manager of yearbook Staff, 1 year.

Rose Marie Dwyer—*Rosie*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Sports. Ambition: To become a teacher in college. Glee Club, 2 years; Public Speaking 4 years; Monogram Club, 2 years; Basketball, 2 years; Softball, 2 years; Honor Society, 2 years; Assistant Sports editor of Paper Staff, 1 year; Reporter of paper staff, 1 year; Club Editor of Yearbook Staff, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year; Cheerleader, 1 year.

Anne Elizabeth Dodd—*Anne*—Route No. 4, Box 78, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Skating and Swimming. Ambition: Stenographer. Home Ec Club, reporter, 2 years; Glee Club, 1 year; Yearbook Staff, 1 year; Cheerleader, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

Robert Malcolm Duncan—*Robert*—Route No. 5, Box 276, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Working with Electricity. Ambition: Electrical Engineer. Science Club, 1 year; Spanish Club, 1 year; Paper Staff, 2 years; Circulating Manager, 1 year; Patrols, 2 years; Pep Squad, 1 year; Football, 1 year.

Barbara Ann Dyson—*Babs*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Eating. Ambition: Stenographer. Glee Club, 1 year; Home Ec Club, 2 years; Patrols, 1 year.

Cynthia Lee Edwards—*Cindy*—Route No. 5, Box 331, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Playing the violin, Modeling, Collecting Records. Ambition: To be a research chemist. Americana Quiz, 1 year; Yearbook Staff, 1 year; Art Club, 1 year; President of home room, 1 year; Debate, 1 year; Science Club, 2 years, Sec. 1 year; Public Speaking, 2 years; Paper Staff, 2 years, Editor-in-Chief, 1 year; Quill and Scroll 2 years; National Honor Society, 2 years; Pep Squad, 2 years.

Dorothy Marie Embery—*Dot*—Route No. 4, Box 35, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Reading and pet fish. Ambition: School Teacher (Phys. Ed.) or Nurse. Public Speaking, 2 years; Glee Club, 2 years; Working with girl scouts this year because of french girl; Sec. of Foster Parents Plan in School.

George Albert Fenimore—*George*—Route No. 3, Box 44, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Hunting. Ambition: Go to College. Art Club, 1 year; Archer Club, 1 year; Basketball (J. V.) 1 year.

Robert Clay Flinchum—*Flinch*—Route No. 5, Box 265A, Alexandria, Virginia. Ambition: Pro Baseball. Science Club, 1 year, Treasurer; Student Government, 1 year, Sec. of Safety; Baseball, 3 years; Football, 3 years.

Patrick James Frickleton—*Pat*—V—255—B Gray's Hill Village, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Hobby: Monkey with Cameras. Ambition: Go to college and become an engineer. Key Club, 1 year, Director.

Jean Elizabeth Frinks—*Jeanne*—Route 3, Box 2, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Having a good time. Ambition: To be a model. Cheerleader, 2 years; Yearbook, 1 year; Paper Staff, 1 year.

Charles William George—*Gorgeous George*—25 Park Place, Fair Haven, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Shining my trophy. Ambition: Pro Football. Football, 2 years; Glee Club, 2 years; Student Government, 1 year.

Marvin Anthony Gordon—*Pig*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Listening to William Young's Jokes. Ambition: Pro Football. Football, 4 years; Baseball, 4 years; Basketball, 2 years.

Jack Dempsey Gray—*Jack*—Box 308A, Route No. 1, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Fishing. Ambition: To finish school.

June Wanda Griffin—*June*—Route No. 1, Box 224, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Singing and having "Hen Parties." Ambition: To be a great singer. Glee Club, 4 years; Girl Scouts, 1 year.

Dolores Fairfax Grimsley—*Puddin'*,—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Drawing. Ambition: Fashion Designer. Year Book, 1 year; Art Club, 3 years, President 1 year; Pep Squad, 1 year.

William Carter Hall—*Hall*—Route No. 5, Box 339, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Eating, Sleeping, etc. Ambition: To live long enough to see a bus line in Franconia. Library Club, 2 years; Paper Staff, 2 years; Yearbook, 1 year; Pep Squad, 1 year.

Albert C. Hansen—*Hank*—Route No. 1, Box 522, Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Airplanes. Ambition: Pilot. Baseball, 1 year.

William Russel Harley—*Rosebud*—Route No. 1, Lorton, Virginia. Ambition: Navy. Science Club, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

Violet Mae Harris—*Jo*—Route No. 1, Box 385A, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Collecting menus. Ambition: Beautician. Glee Club, 4 years; Student Government 1 year; Home Ec 2 years; Softball, 2 years; Patrols, 2 years.

Doris Louise Hartman—*Doa Dee*—Route No. 1, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Writing love letters. Ambition: A certain blue-eyed boy with peroxide hair. Glee Club, 2 years.

Harold F. Hartman—*Nose*—2241 N. Wakefield Street, Arlington, Virginia. Hobby: Eating. Ambition: Pro Football. Monogram Club, 3 years; Football, 4 years; Baseball, 2 years.

Shirley Hastings—*S. H.*—O-71-D Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Hobby: Riding and swimming. Cheerleader, 1 year; Basketball, 1 year; Yearbook, 1 year; Newspaper, 2 years; Quill and Scroll, 2 years; Pep Club, 1 year.

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Evelyn Vernita Hollins—*Peggy*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Records. Ambition: Typist. Glee Club, 1 year; Girl Scouts, 1 year; Literary Club, 1 year; Home Ec Club, 1 year.

Jeanne Hootman—*Jeanie*—Franconia Road, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Music and riding. Ambition: Occupational Therapy. Student Government 1 year; Public Speaking, 3 years; Glee Club, 1 year; Honor Society, 2 years.

Carl Price Hudson—*C. P.*—Route No. 4, Box 33, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Sleeping whenever I get a chance. Ambition: to be able to give Mrs. Ames a week's homework to do for one night. Library Club, 1 year.

Virginia Anne Huffman—*Jenny*—Route 5 Box 327 Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Singing. Ambition: Private Secretary. Glee Club, 4 years; Patrols, 1 year; Yearbook, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year; Sec.; Senior Scouts, 2 years.

Raymond Franklin Huntington—*Red*—Springfield, Virginia, Route 1, Box 130. Ambition: To go one year to college. Football, 3 years; Baseball, 2 years; Basketball, 2 years.

Willard Jenkins—*Lardy*—3696 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Eating and sleeping. Ambition: To get out of school within the next 12 years. Baseball, 2 years; Football, 3 years; Basketball, 1 year.

Mary Virginia Jones—*Mary*—Route 5, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Singing. Ambition: F. B. I. Agent. Glee Club, 3 years, Sec., 1 year; Paper Staff, 2 years; Pep Squad, 1 year; Girl Scouts, 1 year.

Grace Kahn—*Gracie*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Learning popular songs as fast as they come out. Ambition: Nurse. Spanish Club, 1 year; Pep Squad, 1 year.

Carolina Gale Lambright—*Storm*—30 Ft. Drive, Fair Haven, Virginia. Hobby: Drawing, eating banana splits. Ambition: Missionary. Art Club, 4 years; Girl Scouts, 2 years; Honor Society, 2 years.

Otis Houston Lester, Jr.,—*Otis*—Route 1, Box 11, Springfield, Virginia. Hobby: Stamp collecting. Ambition: Airplane mechanic. Glee Club, 2 years; Patrols, 2 years.

Alice Patricia Levay—*Pat*—F. H. 33, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Hobby: Swimming and dancing. Ambition: Secretary. Newspaper Club, 3 years; Spanish Club, 1 year, Treasurer; Pep Squad, 1 year.

Bonnie Lou Lloyd—*Lu Lu*—Box 204, Route 1, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing. Ambition: Stenographer. Glee Club, 3 years, Sec.; Library Club, 1 year; Pep Squad, 1 year; Patrol, 1 year.

Robert Lyles—*Bob*—707 Potomac Avenue, New Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Reading. Ambition: To give Mrs. Ames a test on "Macbeth." Library Club, 2 years; Key Club, 1 year, Sec.

James Markley—*Jim*—710 13th Street, New Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Chemistry, Algebra. Ambition: Mechanical Engineer. Chemistry Club, 1 year; Stamp Club, 1 year.

Thomas Neal McAuliffe—*Mac*—Route 1, Box 270, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Boats and motors. Ambition: Salesman. Art Club, 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year.

Maxine McCann—*Pat*—Route 1, Box 514, Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Men. Ambition: To learn how to ice skate. Newspaper Staff, 1 year; Pep Squad, 1 year.

Thomas Wesley McCreary—*Long Tom*—Route 4, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Eating and sleeping. Ambition: Pro Baseball. Monogram Club, 3 years; Baseball, 4 years; Football, 2 years; Basketball, 2 years.

Barbara Anne McDonald—*Anne*—U-76-B Gray's Hill Village, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Hobby: Photography, bowling. Ambition: To be a foreign correspondent. Art Club, 1 year; Spanish Club, 1 year; Newspaper Staff, 2 years; Student Government, 1 year; Americana Quiz, 1 year; Quill and Scroll, 2 years; Pep Club, 1 year.

Phyllis Lane McInturff—*Phil*—18 Collard Street, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Listening to the radio. Ambition: Secretary. Glee Club, 2 years; Patrols, 1 year; Yearbook, 1 year; Newspaper Staff, 1 year; Student Government, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year; Honor Society, 2 years; Americana Quiz, 1 year; Public Speaking, 1 year.

Betty Ann Milstead—*Betty Ann*—Route 5, Box 234, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Baby sitting. Ambition: Nurse. Glee Club, 3 years.

Dorothy Virginia Monroe—*Susie*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Photography. Ambition: Psychiatrist. Glee Club, 3 years, Treas.; Girl Scouts, 3 years, Pres.

Geraldine Marie Morgan—*Gerry*—Route 4, Box 11, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Popular music. Ambition: Become a lawyer's secretary.

Marjorie Kathryn Moshier—*Chicken*—32 Fair Haven Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Swimming and diving. Ambition: Housewife.

Edwina Moss—*Wina*—Route 4, Box 379, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Music. Ambition: Pianist (concert). Basketball, 4 years, Captain, 1 year; Softball, 1 year; Glee Club, 3 years, President 1 year; Treasurer of Student Government, 1 year; Sec. of Senior Class; Pep Club, 2 years; Yearbook, 1 year.

Sara Catherine Neitzey—*Sara*—Mt. Vernon, Virginia. Hobby: Sports. Ambition: Stenographer. Glee Club, 3 years; Home Ec Club, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

Paul Nelson—*Punk*—714 Potomac Avenue, New Alexandria. Hobby: Loafing. Ambition: To go to M. I. T.

William Alvin Norfolk—*Billy*—34 Hillcrest Drive, Fair Haven, Virginia. Hobby: Girls. Ambition: Graduate from N. C. U. Football, 2 years; Public Speaking, 1 year; Library Club, 1 year, vice president.

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Nancy Maureen O'Flaherty—*Nan*—Route 4, Alexandria Virginia. Hobby: Horseback riding. Ambition: College. Glee Club, 1 year; Library Club, 1 year; Home Ec, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year; Softball, 1 year.

Lester E. Olmsted—*Les*—5 Tausemont Road, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Model Building. Ambition: Areonautical Engineering. Science Club, 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year; Debating Club, 1 year.

Edward Stephen O'Neill—*Steve*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Photography. Ambition: To amount to something.

Irvin Eugene Otis—*Gene*—Springfield, Virginia. Hobby: None. Ambition: To get out of school.

Betty June Overly—*Betty*—Spring Bank Manor, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Sports. Ambition: Model. Yearbook Staff, 2 years; Softball, 2 years; Basketball, 2 years; Cheerleader, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year; Monogram Club, 2 years.

Jean Helen Penn—*Jeannie*—U-261-D, Gray's Hill Village, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Hobby: Skating. Ambition: To become a championship Skater. Glee Club, 3 years; Paper Staff, 1 year; Library Club, 1 year.

Mary Elender Penn—*Shorty*—Route 4, Box 202, Groveton, Virginia. Hobby: Skating. Ambition: Private Secretary. Glee Club, 3 years.

Mildred Anora Peters—*Rusty*—Route 4, Box 538, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing. Ambition: To amount to something worth while. G. A. A. Dramatic Club, 2 years; Pep Club, 2 years, Treasurer, 1 year.

Lorene May Peverill—*Lorene*—25 Massey Court, Fair Haven, Alexandria, Virginia. Ambition: Secretary. Library Club, 2 years, President; Home Ec, 2 years; Student Government, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

James Edward Phillips—*Mickey*—3208 Calvin Street, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Roller Skating. Ambition: Office Work. Library Club, 2 years; Glee Club, 2 years; Yearbook Staff, 2 years; Cheerleader, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

Johnny Posey—*Johnny*—Route 5, Box 247, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Riding. Ambition: Pro Jockey and Horse Trainer. Yearbook Club, 1 year; Public Speaking, 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year; Patrols, 1 year.

Beverly Joan Reller—*Shorty*—641 Fairview Avenue, Route 4, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Baby sitting and sleeping. Ambition: To be a nurse. Public Speaking, 3 years, Treasurer; Library Club, 1 year; Honor Society, 2 years; Yearbook Club, 1 year; Newspaper Staff, 1 year; Club Editor.

Norma Ridgeway—*Ridgie*—Route 5, Box 10, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Movies, playing victrola, dancing. Ambition: Secretary and Travel. Home Ec Club, 2 years.

Thelma Jeanette Ridgeway—*Bunkie*—Route 5, Box 16, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Collecting Snapshots. Ambition: To become a successful secretary. Home Ec Club, 2 years.

Alice Anne Riley—*Alice*—Arcturus, Route 1, Alexandria, Virginia. Ambition: Occupational Therapist. Science Club, 2 years; Yearbook, 1 year; Public Speaking, 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year; Basketball, 2 years; Softball, 3 years.

Patricia Ann Roberts—*Pat*—Route 5, Box 48, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Sports, stamp collecting, reading. Ambition: Teacher. Public Speaking, 3 years; Basketball, 1 year.

Betty Ann Rogers—*Rogers*—713 Potomac Avenue, New Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Boat riding, bowling, and loafing. Ambition: Don't have any. Student Government, 1 year; Glee Club, 2 years; Home Ec Club, 2 years; Pep Club, 1 year.

Richard Rogers—*Buddy*—Route 5, Box 151, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Chasing girls. Ambition: To be a man. Art Club, 1 year; Science Club, 1 year; Home Ec, 1 year; Baseball, 2 years; Football, 4 years; Basketball, 1 year; Reporter, Junior Class.

Elizabeth Rose—*Betsy*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing. Ambition: Stenographer. Home Ec Club, 2 years; Patrols, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

Robert Sapp—*Sap*—Route 4, Box 354, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Photography. Ambition: Professional Photographer. Baseball, 2 years; Football, 1 year; Basketball, 1 year.

Paul Clement Saulnier—*Paul*—Route 1, Box 544G, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Airplanes. Ambition: Pilot. S. P. T. A., 1 year, President; Library Club, 1 year; Student Government, 1 year, Judge.

Dixie Ruby Sawyer—*Dickie*—U-86-C Stevens Road, Gray's Hill Village, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing. Ambition: Secretary, down in Texas. Paper Staff, 1 year; Glee Club, 2 years; Pep Club, 1 year; Basketball, 1 year.

Frances Mary Scalise—*Fran*—B-6 Apt. B, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Ambition: Teacher.

Newman Aubry Shifflett—*Lefty*—Clifton, Virginia. Hobby: Baseball. Ambition: Professional Baseball. Monogram Club, 1 year.

Francis Shirk—*Skipper*—Route 1, Box 69, Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Fishing, Target Practice. Ambition: Lawyer. Public Speaking, 3 years; Doorkeeper.

Anne Kirk Showalter—*Anne*—U-89-C Gray's Hill Village, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Hobby: Skating, horseback riding. Ambition: Model. Glee Club, 2 years; Home Ec, 1 year; Basketball, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

Ernestine Simpson—*Teeny*—Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Any Sports. Ambition: Nurse. Patrols, 2 years; Home Ec Club, 2 years; Library Club, 1 year.

Robert Harris Sipes, III—*Bob*—Wellington Villa, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Music. Ambition: Commercial Artist; to take Miss Williams up flying. Glee Club, 2 years; Paper Staff, 1 year; Yearbook, 1 year.

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John Smith—*Johnny*—4 Williamsburg Road, Jefferson Manor, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Music. Ambition: Newspaper work. Dance band; Glee Club, 1year.

Janet Louise Sten—*Janet*—Route 1, Box 36, Springfield, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing, ice skating, photography. Ambition: Receptionist. Home Ec Club, 1 year; Paper Staff, 1 year; Library Club, 1 year.

James Herbert Stevens—*Steve*—Route 1, Hollin Hall, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Sports. Ambition: Mechanical Engineer. Science Club, 1 year.

Margaret Elizabeth Stevens—*Marge*—Route 4, Box 560, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Everything in general. Ambition: Undecided. Glee Club, 2 years, Treasurer; Home Ec Club; S. P. T. A.; Library Club; Pep Club, 2 years.

Dorothy Pauline Sullivan—*Sullivan*—Route 5, Box 236, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Collecting stamps. Ambition: Nurse. Glee Club, 2 years; Library Club, 1 year, Vice President; Girl Scouts, 1 year, Vice President.

Ann Nora Thomas—*Ann*—20 Byrd Drive, Fair Haven, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Swimming. Ambition: To learn to fence a horse without any bruises or broken bones. Library Club, 1 year; F. H. A., 2 years; Pep Club, 2 years; P. W. F. C.; Federation of F. H. A.

Charles William Thomas—*Egg*—802 Potomac Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Chasing girls. Ambition: To be a lover. Science Club, 1 year; Yearbook Club, 1 year; Football, 2 years; Student Government, 1 year.

Page Thompson—*Tillie*—Route 4, Box 130, Alexandria, Virginia. Ambition: Professional baseball. Baseball, 4 years; Football, 4 years; Basketball, 1 year.

Gardner Warren Van Scoyoc—*Van*—Route 5, Box 81, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Getting out of trouble. Ambition: Ministry (Episcopal Church). Glee Club, 3 years; Reporter, Student Government, 3 years; Student Rep. 3 years, President, 1 year; Baseball, 2 years, Baseball Scorekeeper; Football, 1 year; Pep Club, 2 years; Paper Staff, 1 year; Yearbook Staff, Advertising Editor, 1 year; Americana Quiz, 2 years; Public Speaking, 1 year; Key Club, 1 year; F. C. S. C. A., President, 1 year; Prom Committee, 2 years.

Janet Catherine Viar—*Janet*—1611 Suter Street, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing. Ambition: To amount to something. Home Ec Club, 3 years, Sec.; Girl Scouts, 4 years, Reporter and Treasurer; Pep Club, 3 years, President; Glee Club, 4 years; Public Speaking, 1 year; S. P. T. A., 1 year.

Mary Jeanne Wade—*Jean*—Silverbrook Road, Lorton, Virginia. Hobby: Music. Ambition: Secretary. Glee Club, 3 years; Pep Club, 1 year.

Betty Wagner—*Bet*—2608 27th Road, So. Arlington, Virginia. Hobby: To try mastering new dance steps. Ambition: To major in Music.

William Warren—*Bee Bee*—Box 785, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Football. Ambition: College. Science Club, 2 years; Football, 4 years; Baseball, 2 years; Student Government, 2 years; Basketball, 2 years.

Jean Elizabeth Waybright—*Jeannie*—Route 3, Box 17, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Skating. Ambition: To be an airline hostess. Yearbook, 1 year; Newspaper, 2 years; Exchange Editor, Home Ec, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year.

Kathryn Louise Weaver—*Kitty*—Route 4, Box 181, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Dancing. Ambition: To amount to something worth while. Home Ec Club, 3 years, Sec., V. Pres., Pres.; Yearbook, 1 year, Asst. Editor, Student Government, 2 years, Sec.; Glee Club, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year; Cheerleader, 2 years, Co-Captain; Vice President of Senior Class; Vice President of Freshman Class; Softball, 1 year; Patrols, 1 year; S. P. T. A., 1 year; Chairman Prom Committee, 1 year.

Herbert Edward Wheeler—*Herbert*—Route 4, Box 369B, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Basketball. Ambition: To make a million.

Harvey Westbrook—*Dink*—Box 367, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Pool Shark. Ambition: Join Egyptian Navy. Glee Club, 2 years; Spanish Club, 1 year.

Dorson Worden Wilcox—*Red*—Ace Cabins, Route 4, Box 445, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Forestry, Ambition: Log Inspector for the Forest Rangers. Glee Club, 2 years; Basketball, 2 years.

Thelma Louise Williams—*Willie*—Lorton, Virginia. Silverbrook Road. Hobby: Movies. Ambition: Airline Hostess. Pep Club, 1 year.

Carolyn Frances Wollon—*Carol*—Route 5, Box 324, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Playing with my dog. Ambition: To become famous in the world of music as a concert pianist. Public Speaking, 2 years; Honor Society, 1 year; Paper Staff, 1 year.

William Lee Young—*Ticky*—Route 5, Box 389, Alexandria, Virginia. Hobby: Football, Hunting, Fishing. Ambition: Commercial artist. Monogram, 2 years; Science Club, 2 years; Football, 3 years.

Lylie Elizabeth Yowell—*Lizzie*—Route 1, Springfield, Virginia. Hobby: Basketball and dancing. Ambition: Dancing teacher. Home Ec Club, 1 year; Pep Club, 1 year; Glee Club, 1 year; Basketball, 2 years.

Last Will and Testament

We, the Graduating Class of the Mount Vernon High School, in the County of Fairfax, and the State of Virginia, do hereby leave the following wholeheartedly to you, the underclassmen, from whom we are sadly departing, to use, develop, and help you achieve your ambitions and success. May you use them to the best of your ability in solemn reverence to us, the foregoing givers.

I, Earl Alcorn, leave my ability as right guard to Ditto, alias "Feet."

I, Jean Allen, leave my quiet way to all girls who talk too much in school.

I, Roger Anderson, leave the math classes of Mrs. Pingley to the lower classmen who have not had her.

I, Thomas Barrington, leave my love for girls to some other sucker.

I, Doris Bell, leave my dislike for riding the school bus to anyone who enjoys it.

I, Ila Jane Bennett, leave my place on the Americana Quiz to anyone who can use it.

I, Joseph Bollinger, leave my love for dancing to Lawrence Darr.

I, Virginia Bomkamp, leave my satisfaction of finally making it, to my sister, Betty Ann.

I, Elmer Booth, leave my ability to have never missed a day in the last four years to anyone who loses a lot of time from school.

I, Bennie Bowers, leave everything.

I, Roland Brown, leave my ability to get up to my neck in everything to anyone who wishes to spend two years in the Senior Class.

I, George Burns, leave my ability to feel independent to anyone who is willing to accept it.

I, Earl Carneal, leave Mount Vernon because I have served my time.

I, John Cathey, leave my love for Senior English to anyone who wants it.

I, Carl Clark, leave my disposition to Ernest Simpson.

I, Doris Clem, leave my love for Mount Vernon boys to Betty McElroy.

I, Earl Coffey, leave, PERIOD!

I, Robert Collins, leave my sympathy for any senior student who fails Senior English.

I, Aileen Cook, leave my Bookkeeping headaches to all future bookkeeping students.

I, Kathleen Cook, leave my job in the storeroom to future salesmanship students, hoping they will enjoy it as much as I have.

I, Katrina Crawford, leave my love for English under Mrs. Ames to Quincey Stover.

I, George Creed, leave my love for all my teachers to Bruce Jenkins.

I, Catherine Crim, leave my love for modeling to anyone who is interested in it.

I, Robert Crump, leave my love for baseball to Shelton Craig.

I, Harry Darr, leave my ability to play hookey to Martin Straub.

I, Helen Davis, leave my love for skating to Helen Roland.

I, Vilma Davis, leave my long, red fingernails to anyone who can type and keep them as long as I have.

I, Joetta Dawson, leave my love for dancing to Virginia Beach.

I, Anne Dodd, leave my cheering ability to Grace Haug.

I, Robert Duncan, leave my dislike for homework to Jeffrey Stewart.

I, Rose Marie Dwyer, leave my cheering ability to anyone who is able to be seen and not heard at the football games. Not Kent Fleenor!

I, Barbara Dyson, leave my shortness to my sister, Doris.

I, Cynthia Edwards, leave my editorship to any capable reporter.

I, Dorothy Embrey, leave nothing; I need the little I have and can't afford to give up anything.

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I, George Fenimore, leave my desk in Geometry to anyone who wants it.

I, Robert Flinchum, leave my ability to argue to my brothers and sisters.

I, Pat Frickleton, leave my ability to struggle through English to anyone who is unfortunate enough to have to take it.

I, Jeanne Frinks, leave my ability to have a good time in class to anyone who likes M. V. H. S. enough to come back and take a P. G. Course.

I, Charles George, leave all my women to "Jet" Norfolk.

I, Marvin Gordon, leave my features of a pig to Shelton Craig.

I, Jack Gray, leave my ability to stay out of trouble to anyone who needs it.

I, June Griffin, leave my "come hither" blue eyes to any girl who can use them.

I, Dolores Grimsley, leave my talking ability to Shirley Peverill.

I, Carter Hall, leave my height to Ray Solot.

I, Albert Hansen, leave, and wonder how I ever did.

I, Russell Harley, leave my ability to get along with Mr. Moore to my brother, Allen.

I, Violet Harris, leave my love for Mr. Buckley to anyone who needs late passes.

I, Doris Hartman, leave my love for a certain G. W. boy to anyone named Leola.

I, Harold Hartman, leave Mount Vernon under my own power.

I, Shirley Hastings, leave my cocky ways to Eula Turner.

I, Vernita Hollins, leave my sincere liking for English to my sister in hopes it will do her more good than it has me.

I, Jeanne Hootman, being of reasonably sound mind, take everything I have with me.

I, Carl Hudson, leave Mount Vernon High School, PERIOD!

I, Virginia Huffman, leave my long, black, natural curly hair to Joyce Simms.

I, Raymond Huntington, leave my ability to stay out for sports, and still not play varsity, to any guy with ambition.

I, Willard Jenkins, leave my football ability to Jeffery Stewart.

I, Mary Jones, leave my ability to try to think to my sister, Louise.

I, Grace Kahn, leave my quietness to Shirley Dooley.

I, Gail Lambright, leave my harlequin glasses to Roxanne Dachtler.

I, Otis Lester, leave my mischievous ways to James Lamb.

I, Alice Levay, leave my love for black, curly haired boys to my sister, Dolores.

I, Bonnie Lou Lloyd, leave my unresistable giggle to my sister, Dixie.

I, Robert Lyles, leave my ability to struggle along in English IV to anyone who needs it.

I, James Markley, leave all my do's and don't's of Mount Vernon High School to any Junior—P. S. also a complete line of Senior English Homework.

I, Thomas McAuliffe, leave my love for basketball to those who like the game.

I, Maxine McCann, leave my ability to eat in Civics class, and not get caught, to Hazel Shepherd.

I, Thomas McCreary, leave Mount Vernon as it was when I got here.

I, Anne McDonald, leave a raincoat to every student unfortunate enough to have a homeroom in the cottage when it rains.

I, Phyllis McInturff, leave all of my themes to any student who takes Business English next year.

I, Betty Milstead, leave Plain Geometry to Joan Worley.

I, Dorothy Monroe, refuse to leave my old cow bell to any of next years football fans; I am going to use it myself.

I, Geraldine Morgan, leave my good times at Mount Vernon to my sister, Marion.

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I, Marjorie Moshier, leave my position as captain of the cheerleaders to anyone who can stand the criticism.

I, Edwina Moss, leave my daydreams to those interested deeply in their classes.

I, Sara Neitzey, leave my bashfulness to Janet Flowers.

I, Paul Nelson, reluctantly leave Mount Vernon, looking back to the wonderful times and people.

I, Billy Norfolk, leave my black, wavy hair to Lawrence Darr.

I, Nancy O'Flaherty, leave my bashful ways to Virginia Beach.

I, Lester Olmsted, leave my will to get good marks and my "charming disposition" to anyone who thinks they can use them.

I, Steve O'Neill, leave my desire for further knowledge to anyone who wants it.

I, Irvin Otis, leave my love for Mount Vernon to my brother, Herbert.

I, Betty Overly, leave my fickle ways to Leah Henry.

I, Jean Penn, leave my love for skating to Betty Bronsen.

I, Mary Penn, leave my quietness to Janice Harris.

I, Mildred Peters, leave my numerous freckles to Jackie Bender.

I, Lorene Peverill, refuse to leave my five-minute conversations with "Rock," between classes, to anyone, not even Mr. Landes.

I, James Phillips, leave my thanks and appreciation to Miss Lucy Jane Lowman for being such a wonderful teacher.

I, Johnny Posey, leave my horsemanship to Betty Jean Plaugher.

I, Beverly Reller, leave my height to Betty Perry.

I, Norma Ridgeway, leave my love for school to anyone who needs it.

I, Thelma Ridgeway, leave my love for Mount Vernon to my sister, Barbara.

I, Alice Riley, leave my slowness to catch on and my quickness to fumble to any poor girl who wishes to star in basketball.

I, Patricia Roberts, leave my love for Algebra to anyone who takes it.

I, Betty Ann Rogers, leave my ability to graduate to my stupid sister, Gloria.

I, Richard Rogers, leave my love for the pretty girls to Kenneth Everett.

I, Betsy Rose, leave the big city of Pohick to anyone who would like to live in the city.

I, Robert Sapp, leave my name "Sap" to (pity the poor soul) Jackie Miller.

I, Paul Saulnier, leave my love for shorthand to anyone who likes cross-word puzzles.

I, Dixie Sawyer, leave my ability to eat in Civics class to my sister, Dorothy, in hopes she won't get hungry.

I, Frances Scalise, leave my shortness to Marie Schroer.

I, Newman Shifflett, leave my pitching position to anyone who thinks they can fill in this sweat box.

I, Francis Shirk, leave my love for Civics to Audrey Paul.

I, Anne Showalter, leave my place on the basketball team to any person desiring it.

I, Ernestine Simpson, leave all the memories of the old days to Mrs. Quinley and Mrs. Robertson.

I, Bob Sipes, leave my many, merry years of memories and still receive my F. O. B. pension.

I, John Smith, leave my love for newspaper work to anyone who enjoys it as much as I do.

I, Janet Sten, leave my love for school to Wanda Moore.

I, Herbert Stevens, leave my knowledge to my brother, Charles.

I, Margaret Stevens, leave (and glad of it, too).

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I, Pauline Sullivan, leave my nursing ambition and love for Doctors to Ann Buckman.

I, Ann Nora Thomas, leave to anyone who might ever need them, my natural blond hair and short statue.

I, Charles Thomas, leave "Egg" to any Chick that wants him.

I, Page Thompson, leave my ability to get under Mr. Lee's skin to Paul Norfolk.

I, Gardner Van Scoyoc, leave my nick-name "Van" to Duncan's Transfer.

I, Janet Viar, leave my love for work to Kenneth Everritt.

I, Mary Jean Wade, leave my lagging steps in Bookkeeping to anyone who likes it better than I.

I, Betty Wagner, leave Mount Vernon with a host of new friends.

I, William Warren, leave Mrs. Ames English class to anyone who wants it.

I, Jean Waybright, leave my love for Miss Williams to anyone who is fortunate enough to have her for a teacher.

I, Kathryn Weaver, refuse to leave my "Nose" to anyone.

I, Harvey Westbrook, leave my good looks to Ernest Simpson.

I, Herbert Wheeler, leave my love for English under Mrs. Ames to Jimmy Miller.

I, Dorson Wilcox, leave my cowboy shirts to anyone who wants them.

I, Thelma Williams, leave my love for Lorton to Mr. Moore in hopes that some day he may have to live there.

I, Carol Wollon, leave my love of the Library to anyone who needs it.

I, William Young, leave my witty remarks to George Stauss.

I, Elizabeth Yowell, leave the big City of Franconia to anyone who likes the wilderness.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand to this LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT at Fairfax, Virginia, this 12th day of June, A. D. 1948.

GRADUATING CLASS OF JUNE, 1948

Mount Vernon High School
Route 1
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

ATTESTING CLAUSE

On this 12th day of June, 1948, the Graduating Class of Mount Vernon High School whose names are subscribed to the above and foregoing document, signed the same in our presence and in the presence of each of us and declared it to be their LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT towards the Mount Vernon High School, its faculty and remaining student body. We, at their request and in their presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto affixed our signatures the day and year first above written in the County of Fairfax in the State of Virginia.

Lucy Jane Lowman
STONEGA, VIRGINIA

Elizabeth Morris Ames
ROUTE 3, BOX 502X
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

Ralph E. Buckley
801 SOUTH PITT STREET
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

Prophecy

"Oh, look there's Mt. Vernon High School. It surely looks different after five years."

"Yes, I see they finally got the new cafeteria, gym and auditorium. It surely looks swell. Too bad we couldn't have had it, but we know we paved the way."

"Hey pilot, turn this helicopter toward Ft. Belvoir, and let's see what the Class of '48 is doing now."

"Look there's the home of the famous architect, *Roger Anderson*. I guess he has retired after redesigning the White House."

"Tell the pilot to land so we can inquire about *Maxine McCann* and *Helen Davis*."

"Helen Davis has just left for Switzerland to compete in the National Skating Contest, and Maxine McCann has established herself in the ice-skating world and now appears in the Ice Capades."

"*Virginia Bomkamp* is in the skating shows at Belvoir."

"Look there's the new bridge that *Pat Frickleton* designed for the R. F. & P.

"*Jack Gray* has graduated from the new Mt. Vernon College which was completed under the supervision of *Bennie Bowers*, the famous contractor. *Dixie Sawyer* is his secretary."

"*Alice Levay* is the top secretary of the Navy Department and *Anne MacDonald* is foreign correspondent for the New York *Times*."

"Why, what beautiful pictures! Who took them?"

"They are by the famous photographer *Robert Sapp*. His model is *Anne Showalter*. They specialize in bathing suits. *Herbert Wheeler* is delivery man. He still has his motor scooter."

"Last but not least we find *Frances Scalise* teaching at the University of Michigan, and *Thomas McCreary* is playing first base for the Brooklyn Dodgers."

"Okay, pilot, let's go on to Lorton. By the way, do you know what's become of *Albert Hansen* and *Paul Saulnier?*"

"Why, yes, they are both famous pilots. Paul is a stunt flyer."

"Look there's *Thomas Barrington* playing with his two sons. He has finally settled down."

"Take a look at that sign, THE *GEORGE BURNS*' BUS COMPANY; he must have quite a business now."

"*Barbara Dyson* is his secretary, and a very good one, too."

"It seems we have another photographer, *Robert Collins*. He has a studio in Alexandria and now takes pictures for Mount Vernon. *Kathleen Cook*, his secretary, has retired and is a very efficient housewife. Her sister, *Aileen*, is in France and says the Frenchmen are fine."

"I'll bet *Rose Marie Dwyer* has more degrees than any girl, Ph.D., M.D., B.S., M.A., D.A., D.D.T., D.D.S., P.D.Q., and there she is teaching kindergarten at Lorton School."

"It seems Lorton has become a famous place. *Vernita Hollins* has become a recording secretary, transcribing hillbilly music."

"Remember *Steve O'Neill* and *Joetta Dawson?*"

"Yes, Steve is running a bookies' establishment in Sanford, Florida, and Joetta, his wife, is his secretary. She spent several years as a lawyer's right hand man."

"What a huge billboard, advertising *Marvin Gordon's* Grocery. He must have quite a business."

"It seems *Dolores Grimsley* has left Lorton for the big city of New York. She is manager of Irene's Salon there."

"Let's see what kind of men Lorton has produced in the line of sports. First, *Raymond Huntington* has completed college and is playing first string football for Philadelphia. Next, *Newman Shifflett*, the famous left-hand pitcher, has a career with the New York Yankees."

"I hear *Russell Harley* is next in line as Secretary of the Navy, and look, isn't that *Francis Shirk* leaving for Canada on one of his fishing trips?"

"We have two girls who are Nurses. *Grace Kahn* is supervisor of nurses at Alexandria Hospital, while *Ernestine Simpson* is a registered nurse at Gallinger."

"Did you know *Edwina Moss* is an outstanding pianist and is appearing at Constitution Hall? Also, *Mary Jean Wade* is playing the piano for a well-known orchestra in Washington."

Prophecy

"Can you imagine *Sara Neitzey* overcoming her quiet way and having a radio program? *Dorothy Monroe* is a famous psychiatrist."

"We still find *Irvin Otis* in springfield owning a 200-acre farm. *Elizabeth Rose* is still one of Pohick's oldest families. *Thelma Williams* has finally moved from Lorton to Maryland."

"Okay, Pilot, let's see what the Class of '48 is doing in the Lee-Jackson district."

"Why, there's, the home of the *River's*. The Mrs. is *Vilma Davis* and they have reared little tributaries."

"Have you heard *Earl Coffey* on *Katrina Crawford's* radio program on Sunday? Earl is a minister."

"*George Creed* has acquired fame as a machinist at Herby's."

"There is a new doctor at Alexandria Hospital. Her name is *Dorothy Embrey*. *Jean Waybright* is an airline hostess for the Continental Airlines."

"Have you noticed *Jeanne Frinks* in the newsreel displaying the latest in fashions? Also, *Willard Jenkins* and the Mrs. have settled down in his log cabin in the mountains."

"Look, there's *James Phillips*, the second Mickey Rooney! Both he and *Mary Jones* have movie contracts. Mary is singing and doing F. B. I. work on the side."

"What an odd house! Oh, *Gale Lambright* lives here. She is a missionary in Europe and has collected odds and ends from all over the world."

"Say, we almost missed Franconia. Pilot, turn around and let's see what our friends are doing."

"There is the office of Franconia's first lawyer, *Roland Brown*. *Doris Bell* is his efficient secretary."

"*Joe Bollinger* has accomplished many things with the aid of his capable secretary, *Virginia Huffman*."

"Look, there's the laboratory of *Cynthia Edwards*. She is the one who discovered the 94th atom."

"I hear that *Robert Duncan* is a successful engineer and has the lights and coke machine at Mount Vernon working at the same time. Did you notice the name of *Jeanne Hootman* on the Guidance office door?"

"There's the new Franconia to D. C. subway. *Carter Hall* is chief engineer of the project."

"There are quite a few famous people in Franconia. *Robert Flinchum* has taken over Mickey Vernon's position at first base for the Senators. *Otis Lester* is head Mechanic on the President's airplane. *Johnny Posey* has won many honors at Churchill Downs, Kentucky. *Patricia Roberts* is a math teacher at Southern California. *Carol Wollon* is a concert pianist and is starring at Carnegie Hall."

"Franconia has a few added business establishments. Arthur Murray's Dancing School is under the direction of *Elizabeth Yowell*. *Norma Ridgeway* is a sales clerk for Jelleff's. *Gardner Van Scoyoc* has built a new church and is the pastor. *William Young* has taken over his father's business and has moved it to Franconia."

"I notice that *Betty Milstead* no longer baby sits for the public since she has two of her own. She has turned her home into a Day Nursery and *Thelma Ridgeway* takes baby pictures for the delighted mothers."

"*Janet Sten* is receptionist at Alexandria Hospital and *Pauline Sullivan* has married one of the doctors and assists him in his work."

"That seems to take care of everyone in Franconia. Let's go to Groveton."

"Look, there's a sign, *Earl Alcorn*, Electrician. Such a modern shop! He has *Ila Jane Bennett* as his capable secretary."

"I hear *Elmer Booth* has gone to college for four years and still hasn't missed a day of school. *George Fenimore* has returned to college after shooting his tenth reindeer."

"That modern house must be the home of *Earl Carneal*, Vice President of the Westinghouse Company in Massachusetts."

"Someone told me if I ever got sick not to go to John Hopkins because *John Cathey* is on the staff."

Prophecy

"I see Groveton has a new garage. Who is the owner? *Herbert Stevens?* He must have quite a business keeping all of *Doris Clem's* Buicks in shape. *Margaret Stevens* is still riding around in her blue Buick, but she has part ownership now. She says it has some nice memories."

"So *Carl Clark* has gone to California! You say he heard there was gold in 'them thar hills' and is out to make his million? I wish him luck."

"What's this about *Anne Dodd* resigning from her secretarial job to become Mrs. Jenkins?"

"Yes, also *Mary Penn* has married and settled down in Florida."

"Remember *Mildred Peters?* She is a famous ballet dancer, but she takes time out to see the famous baseball player, *Page Thompson.* He plays for the Yankees."

"*Violet Harris* has just bought Antionne's Salon in New York and I hear *Doris Hartman* finally succeeded in washing the peroxide out of a certain blue-eyed blonde's hair."

"Have you seen *Harold Hartman* lately? He has taken over Sid Luckman's position. His fan mail is increasing so fast that he had to have *Kathryn Weaver*, his wife, act as his secretary."

"Imagine a woman in the House of Representatives! What's her name, *Phyllis McInturff*, and she came from Groveton."

"Look, there's the new Riding Academy built by *Nancy O'Flaherty*. I see she still has 'Temptation.'"

"Whom have we missed? Oh! yes, *Jean Penn* is traveling with the Skating Follies. *Beverly Reller* is assistant editor of the Alexandria *Gazette*. What's this! *Richard Rogers* has finally become a man, but is still chasing the girls? What a shame! And *Janet Viar* finally conquered ice skating under the supervision of Kenneth Everett. *Billy Warren* is tackle for the Redskins, and *Dorson Wilcox* is Log Inspector for the Forest Rangers. He supplies the Diamond Match Company and *Harry Darr* delivers the match sticks."

"Let's see what is going on at Mud, pardon me, Fairhaven, Fort Hunt, and Mount Vernon."

"*Jean Allen* has also gone into the nursing field as a private nurse. *Catherine Crim* didn't quite get her millions, but she got two little play boys. Keep trying, Catherine."

"In the sports field we find *Bobby Crump* playing second base for the Dodgers; *Charles George* has taken over 'Bulldog' Turner's position as center for the Chicago bears; *Alice Riley* has returned to Mt. Vernon to be basketball coach, and *Betty Ann Rogers* has won three trophies for being the outstanding woman bouter of the year."

"Our song bird, *June Griffin*, has just made her debut at Carnegie Hall. Among the famous is *Paul Nelson* who won the middleweight championship of the world. *Charles Thomas* has just completed a sequel to 'The Egg And I'."

"So *Harvey Westbrook* succeeded in joining the Egyptian Navy? I didn't think there was such a thing. And *Bonnie Lou Lloyd* is teaching at Strayers. Robert Lyles is librarian at the Library of Congress."

"Did you know that *James Markley* is the new 'Answer Man' on the radio? *Thomas McAuliffe* is back as salesman at Montgomery Ward."

"*Marjorie Moshier* is still living in Fairhaven, but, as Mrs. Straub. *Lorene Peverill*, her husband and two children, have moved to Georgia."

"Ever hear of a girl being a lawyer? Well, *Geraldine Morgan* did it. And *Billy Norfolk*, finally graduated from N. C. U. and is still capturing the girl's hearts. *Lester Olmsted* is a professor of Aeronautical Engineering. *Betty Wagner* has received her B. S. degree and is teaching in California."

"Poor *Ann Thomas*, finally learned to fence a horse without receiving any broken bones or bruises."

"Like to dance? Go to the Stork Club and you will find *Bobby Sipes* and his well-known orchestra featuring his new singing sensation, Miss *Shirley Hastings*."

"*Betty Overly* is the most publicized model for John Robert Powers. We find *John Smith* in the restaurant business. He has taken over his father-in-law's restaurant, 'The Little White House Inn.' *Carl Hudson?* Why, he has grown to be quite a man! It is rumored he may be the next President."

"The Class of '48 has done quite well in their five years in the world. The world needs more good students such as these to build a strong nation."

"Okay, Pilot, let's land."

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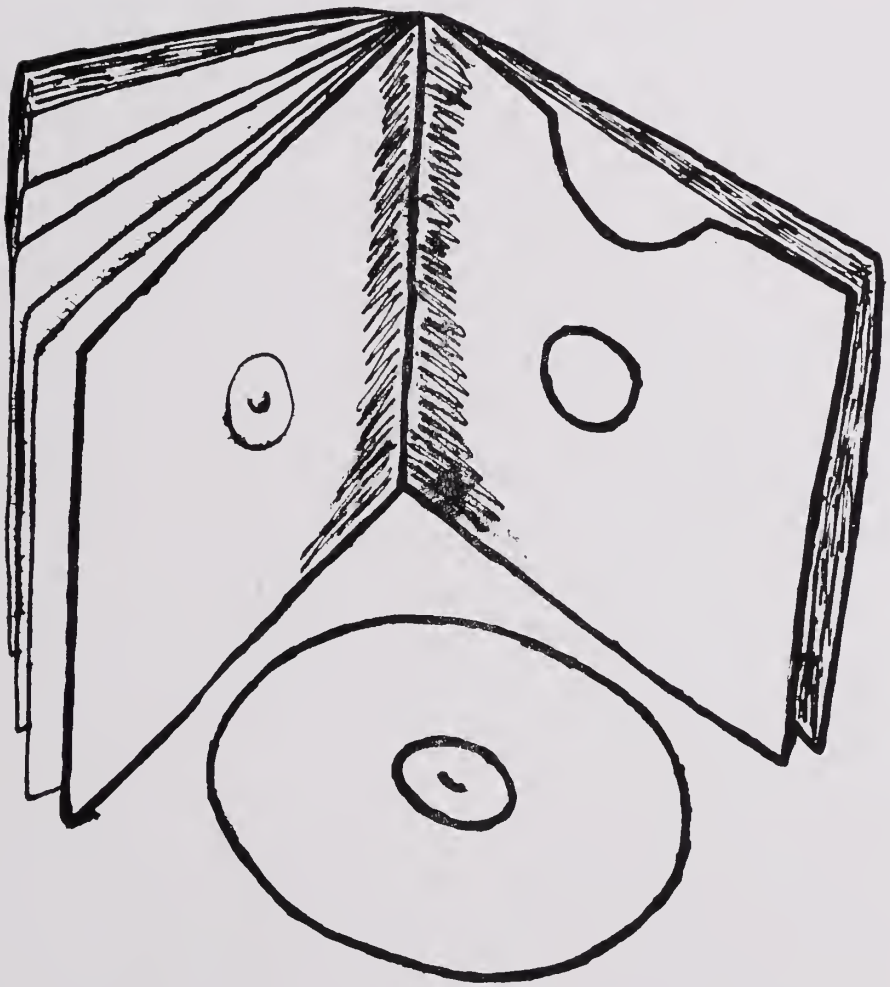

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